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Out of the World.

EW YORK ISOLATED.

rrific Storm Along Atlantic Coast.

ges Washed Away at Rockbright, Inhabitants Flee Inland.

ght-mile Gale Plays Havoc with Shipping and Communications.

d States Battleship is Saved from Disaster by Seeking Shelter.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CAGO BUREAU OF THE ... Dec. 7.—Disastrous sleet ... through Eastern Penn- ... and around New York City ... est New York off from ... with the rest of the ... day and tonight.

... New York-Chicago wire," ... brief announcement made by ... telegraph companies early ... and conditions grew worse ... came on. Wires in the East ... coated with sticky snow ... ridden freeze would snap ... of them. Telegraph offi- ... all day and night "grape- ... efforts to establish com- ... necessary for commercial ... and for forwarding news ... Until late tonight they were ... in every direction, try- ... up connections with New ...

... snow fell over all the East- ... all the East Central and ... the West Central States.

ON THE STAFF OF JOHN D.

Ivy J. Lee Quits the Pennsy to Help the Standard Oil Magnate.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Ivy J. Lee, executive assistant to the president of the Pennsylvania Railroad, has been appointed member of the personal staff of John D. Rockefeller. John D. Rockefeller having retired from active business about fifteen years ago, his personal staff is his immediate adviser in matters of business and philanthropy, and its members are his direct representatives in the various corporations which he is financially interested and the philanthropic boards which he has created.

Snow also is reported from all the Mountain States excepting Arizona. Temperatures are dropping fast tonight, indicating trouble for telegraph and telephone companies and for transportation concerns, if the snow continues to any depth. The colder weather is apparent in every direction with the exception of Western Canada, which continues unusually warm for this season. The Southern States are cold and the Pacific Coast also records notable drops in temperature. In Florida the temperature is twenty degrees lower than yesterday. Texas had heavy rains, nearly an inch and a half falling at Galveston. New Orleans had almost a half inch of rain and reports maximum temperature of 54 deg. and will probably sink to 45 deg. during the night.

The first warning of the sleet came to Chicago this morning about 2 o'clock. By daybreak the wires were in trouble and by noon the telegraph companies were dodging about to keep connections.

During the day commercial messages were being carried into New York by train from Albany. The companies were having no trouble in hitting on every side, but a wire direct to New York seemed an impossibility, due to some freak of the storm.

Newspapers with their leased wires were having the same trouble, but tonight's dispatches were made possible by "patch-up" arrangements and

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WORLD'S NEWS IN TODAY'S TIMES.

SYNOPSIZED, CLASSIFIED AND INDEXED.

Foremost Events of Yesterday: (1) The Graft Ex- ... Alameda County. (2) The Order of the Italians ... Troops to Libya. (3) The Battle in Poland. (4) ... of the Offensive by the Allies in Flanders. ... (6) Mexico. (7) The Issue of Our Pre- ... War. (8) The Japanese Diet in Session. (9) ... Along the Atlantic Coast.

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SUMMARY.

... Partly cloudy. Wind at 5 ... velocity 8 miles. Thermom- ... 58 deg.; lowest, 44 deg. ... Tuesday. For complete ... see last page of Part I.

... CITY. Bearing California's ... aid to relieve starvation in ... the steamer Camino will leave ... this afternoon, bound for Rot-

... a startling increase in street ... due to "jitney" busses, a lieu- ... police made recommendations ... control of the carriers.

... Louis Cope, central figure in a ... case involving alleged black- ... slave slavery, wired that she ... to return here.

... Californians who will take ... conference soon in Washing- ... Colorado River control measures, ... support the raising of Volcano ...

... protection agreement, five years ... proved in settling the $7,000,- ... Indian estate. Heirs that asked ... $754,000.

... being prepared on behalf of ... Public Works to the con- ... Jitney Director Burks that ... can be saved yearly.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. The oldest minister in Pasadena is dead.

Guests at a Long Beach preacher's luncheon were taken ill.

A San Bernardino man killed a woman and himself.

South Pasadena has locked horns with the State over an auto law.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Great alarm among the grafters in Alameda county. Johnson refuses to appoint Heney special prosecutor.

Complete official data on the results of the election in California in November.

Chinese begin test of the new abatement act.

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Reopening of stock markets gives general business great impetus.

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Embargo on copper and cotton shipments is removed by England.

Army and navy appropriation bill submitted to Congress.

Investigation of our preparedness for war assured by the commotion in Congress. "People are thoroughly alarmed," says Congressman Gardner.

MEXICO. Zapata and Villa meet, agree to drive Carranza out and then retire to private life.

THE GREAT WAR. The Situation to Date: Great German victory in Poland confirmed.

Offensive movement in western Europe against the German invaders.

Eight battalions of Italian troops ordered to Libya to be ready for "any move of aggression."

COMMENT ON THE SITUATION.

Science won over stupidity in the battle of Lodz. As the Germans have Lods it stands to reason they had the science on their side. The Slavs are retreating and the military experts are all wonder and amazement at the victory of the Germans, made possible by their strategic railways—which is another term, or pharse, for science. But at that, more fighting is promised in this district; and in Western Europe the offensive of the allies is described as superior to that of the Germans. The battle is being renewed in Flanders.

Readers will bear in mind, in connection with the sensitive subject of the war news, that the various dispatches are each captioned in accordance, as nearly as may be. These headlines are written in such a way as to express the origin, character, nature and trend of the dispatches. The Times (which holds itself responsible for the proper display of the war news) aims to be impartial, and

Armor.

DEFENSES, THE ISSUE.

Public is Alarmed, Says Gardner.

President Agrees an Inquiry into Our Preparedness for War is Due.

Sharp Differences of Opinion as to Who Shall Conduct the Investigation.

Commotion in Congress Indicates Something is Going to be Done.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Preparedness of the United States for war seems destined for investigation in Congress. Several bills and resolutions bearing on the subject were introduced today and an inquiry by Congressional committees is regarded at the Capitol as certain, although President Wilson told Representative Gardner during the day that he opposed the latter's plan for an investigation by a national security commission. The President expressed the opinion that this would be an unwise way of handling "a question which might create very unfavorable international impressions."

Senator Lodge introduced in the Senate a resolution similar to the Gardner measure pending in the House and asked that it lie on the table until tomorrow. It would provide for a "national security commission" to be composed of three members of the Senate, three members of the House and three citizens to be appointed by the President.

President Wilson let it be known after his conference with Representative Gardner that he was entirely in favor of the fullest inquiry into military conditions by regular committees of the House and Senate and added that there were no facts in possession of the executive departments which were not at the disposal of those committees.

In line with this attitude, Senator James Hamilton Lewis, Democratic whip of the Senate, introduced a resolution which would direct an executive inquiry by the Military and Naval committees of the Senate into the expenditures of millions of dollars appropriated in the past for national defense. The inquiry would be directed to ascertain just what had been provided by the expenditures of late years, and to ascertain in actual military conditions. The resolution was referred to the committee on military affairs.

Another military measure, submitted by Senator Chamberlain of Oregon, chairman of the Military Affairs Committee, proposed the creation of a council of national defense to consist of the Secretary of State, as president; the Secretaries of War and the Navy, chairmen of Appropriation, Military, Naval and Foreign Relations committees of the Senate and House, the chief of staff of the army and an officer of the navy, and heads of the army and navy war colleges. Such a board would be authorized to investigate conditions of national defense and make recommendations for improvement.

Senator Hitchcock had passed by the Senate without debate a resolution calling upon the Secretary of Commerce for information as to the extent of exportation of army and munitions of war from the United States to belligerent foreign nations or to Canada; existing contracts in this country for exportation of such materials and the normal condition of exports of such materials in time of peace. Later Senator Hitchcock introduced a bill which would prohibit the sale of munitions of war or materials for use in such munitions during existence of war, except upon proof that they were not to be used against any country with which the United States was at peace.

AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

Representative Gardner called on the President today at the latter's request to discuss his resolution. The following statement was given out at the White House:

"The President told Representative Gardner that he was opposed to the method of inquiry proposed by Mr. Gardner, because he thought it was an unwise way of handling a question which might create very unfavorable international impressions. He stated to Mr. Gardner that he was entirely in favor of the fullest inquiry by the committee of Congress and that there were no facts in the possession of the executive departments which was not at the disposal of those committees."

TWO QUESTIONS.

During his call Mr. Gardner read the following two questions to the President:

"There are two ways of defeating my resolution. It can be defeated on a square yea and nay vote, or it can be pigeonholed in the Committee on Rules. Which course do you advise?"

"Will you authorize army and navy officers to testify before the Rules Committee on my invitation, either with or without restrictive instructions?"

When Mr. Gardner left the President, he refused to say what answers had been given to his questions. White House officials said the formal statement given out would be the only comment on the call.

Prior to Mr. Gardner's call, Chairman Tillman of the Senate Naval Committee discussed national defenses with the President. Later he said the President agreed that the United States should have an adequate navy in accordance with the

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ALBANIANS STARVING.

And the People of Palestine are Also in Dire Need.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Dire need of food among the people of Albania and Palestine was reported by Ambassador Morgenthau to the State Department today. In these countries, the report said, more than 300,000 people are facing famine and 30,000 already have died of starvation. Mr. Morgenthau's dispatch was sent immediately to the Red Cross Society, which tonight issued an appeal for public subscriptions to finance relief measures.

Determined.

KAISER'S GOAL IS LONDON.

KEEPS ON BUILDING ZEPPELINS TO GET THERE.

One "Marine Airship" Capable of Carrying Two Tons of Explosives is Being Built Every Three Weeks at the Friedrichshafen Factory, Where Thousands of Men Work.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

GENEVA (Switzerland) Nov. 20.—Germany is slowly but steadily preparing to make her threatened aerial attack on London and on the eastern coast of England, even without the aid of the German navy, in the judgment of observers of the continued activity at the Zeppelin works at Friedrichshafen.

At this factory on Lake Constance more than 1000 workmen since the beginning of the war have been employed in the construction of dirigible balloons, instead of a normal working force of 400 men. In place of the usual working period of eight hours a day, the men, who are all experts, have been divided into day and night shifts of twelve hours each, so that more than 500 are always engaged.

In the finished materials and fittings, as well as sections of the airship, envelopes arrive from other parts of Germany ready made, and the workmen at Friedrichshafen have only to put them together. This makes it possible to build a Zeppelin in three weeks.

The latest and strongest Zeppelin ever built sailed to the north November 5 direct from the Friedrichshafen works without any previous trial trips. It is considerably longer than its predecessor, and its motive power consisted of three motors of 500 horse power. It carried a crew of thirty officers and men. In a special basket this Zeppelin carried fifty torpedoes and bombs, each said to be capable of as much damage as the shells of the famous sixteen-inch guns. One of these bombs, during a trial near Friedrichshafen, penetrated the earth five yards. All the Zeppelins built since the beginning of the war have been armed similarly.

"Dreadnaught" Zeppelins were launched August 15, September 3 and 24, October 15 and November 5, and two others of the same type at the beginning of August, making a total of seven. These formidable aerial vessels are said to be able to resist successfully any aeroplane attack. They can "sail" with a weight of two or three tons; they have seventeen to eighteen independent gas compartments and water planes that will allow them to land on water, if necessary, and continue their flight later. At Friedrichshafen they are called "marine airships," and in small letters on their hulls are painted the significant words, "Meant for London."

The German staff and Count Zeppelin are understood to hold the opinion that eighteen to twenty Zeppelins of the latest type are necessary for a successful attack on London, and this number is expected to be ready early next year.

TRADE OF ENGLAND DAMAGED BY WAR.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 7.—The British Board of Trade figures continue to show a natural effect of the war. Imports in November decreased $62,400,000; exports decreased $100,770,000.

While the imports of food increased $25,000,000, there was a decrease of $32,500,000 in the importation of cotton from America and decrease in Egyptian cotton of $7,000,000. All other raw material also declined. The principal shrinkage in exports was $25,000,000 in cotton and yarns and -10,000,000 in coal.

A NEW OFFENSIVE BY THE SERBS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Dec. 7.—A dispatch from Nish, Servia, to the Havas Agency, reports that the Servians, since December 3, have resumed a vigorous offensive. The Servian troops on Friday, the dispatch says, pursued the enemy's right wing as far as the Kolubara River, and it was there that the Austrians abandoned four of their batteries.

JOFFRE AND FOCH AWARDED CROSSES.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 7, 9:50 p.m.—During his visit to France, King George conferred the Grand Cross of the Order of the Bath on Gens. Joffre and Foch and the Grand Cross of the Order of St. Michael and St. George on seven other French generals.

Unnerved.

GRAFTERS ALARMED.

Johnson Attempts to Allay Fear.

Governor Goes so Far as to Drag Red Herring Across Their Trail.

Good Citizens of Alameda Incorporate to Put All the Crooks in Jail.

Split Between Heney and the State Executive Widened by Oakland Row.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

OAKLAND, Dec. 7.—Oakland's Committee of One Hundred has clashed with the Johnson Progressive political machine right in the first encounter of the anti-graft crusade for which thousands of Alameda county citizens have enlisted.

In the first skirmish they have exposed graft both wholesale and retail, but the grafters all wear Progressive uniforms and their officers are on the general staff of the Progressive State machine. For the last two weeks paid State employees have been striving assiduously, but surreptitiously to block the crusade or so to deflect its course that it will not pass over Progressive territory.

Among the first caught with the goods is the Oakland Enquirer, one of the chief beneficiaries of the Progressive subsidized press. In addition to fat State jobs, this paper has been exposed by the committee as collecting from the city of Oakland $1.40 an inch for advertising space which it sells to commercial houses for 56 cents an inch. And this paper, which cried loudest about the grafters under the Ruef regime in San Francisco, is now inveighing bitterly against the crusade of the Committee of One Hundred because it is "hurting business."

This is a minor incident, but it has caused a sudden awakening among the citizens of Alameda county. In the beginning the Committee of One Hundred sought and expected the active co-operation of the State administration. This committee is composed of the leading ministers, educators, mercnants and men and women of affairs in Alameda county. They were first roused to action by an address delivered by Frank Heney at a Progressive meeting in the McDonough Theater in Oakland.

Heney asserted from the platform that the city police department of Oakland reeked with graft; that the primary election frauds in Alameda county were notorious; that there was every indication of the same form of graft in Oakland that existed in San Francisco during the Ruef regime. He concluded with the assertion that if he were appointed Deputy District Attorney with full power to investigate he would uncover the "higher ups" and do his utmost to convict them.

Among those he named "Boss" Kelly, County Treasurer and Progressive leader of Alameda county.

This denunciation of Kelly by Heney, himself a Progressive, was probably occasioned by a break between the two over State politics. Heney's friends accuse Kelly openly of trading Heney off in the State campaign in Alameda county and of aiding in the switch of Progressives from Heney to Phelan all over the northern part of the State. It resembles somewhat the lead taken by Rudolph Spreckels in the graft prosecutions of San Francisco. Spreckels became an ardent reformer just as soon as the Ruef Board of Supervisors turned down his application for a blanket electric railway franchise.

Kelly's name is coupled with the election fraud cases. Two of Kelly's lieutenants were indicted in the primary registration and voting frauds. They were little more than saloon rounders—yet $10,000 in cash bail was put up mysteriously for each of them. The grand jury is now probing to discover who produced this cash. Attorney George McDonough paid the money into court. He has declined to name the clients for whom he acted, although cited by the grand jury for contempt.

THE IMPETUS.

This incident gave the first real impetus to the anti-graft crusade. The honest citizenship of Oakland and Alameda county realised that some pretty big fish were caught in the net to occasion the sudden and mysterious production of $20,000 in cash bail in these times.

A mass meeting was called to discuss the situation. More than 10,000 persons attended. Heney reiterated his charges and a Committee of One Hundred was appointed. This committee petitioned Dist.-Atty. Hynes to appoint Heney his deputy and to give him full power to investigate. But Hynes is a creation of "Boss" Kelly and he very naturally rallied to the defense of his master by refusing to appoint Heney.

SECOND SHOCK.

Then came the second shock to the Citizens' Committee. A formal petition was presented to Gov. Johnson for the appointment of Heney by the State as a special investigator. This petition is in part as follows:

"Although petitioned to do so, the District Attorney has declined to appoint Francis J. Heney deputy District Attorney, although Mr. Heney's services were publicly tendered to citizens to that end.

"You are therefore respectfully petitioned to appoint Mr. Heney a special investigator of governmental conditions in Alameda county with the

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COUNTERFEITS RING TRUE.

Beware of the Silver Pieces Produced in Kansas City.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 7.—Counterfeit dollars, halves and quarters, so nearly perfect that their detection was not possible by "ringing" them on a hard surface, have been manufactured in Kansas City for several months, according to Federal officials, who today announced the capture of three alleged members of the band.

More Science.

STARVATION IS EASY DEATH.

CHICAGO PROFESSOR SAYS HE HAS TRIED IT.

Pain Caused by Hunger is Purely Psychic, He Says, and Can Easily be Overcome if You will Simply Adjust Your Mind to Conditions and Forget It.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Hunger, even to the point of death by starvation, causes little pain other than psychic pain, according to Dr. A. J. Carlson of the University of Chicago, who related today the conclusions he drew from five days of voluntary fasting to the members of the National Academy of Sciences.

This fasting period and other experiments, he said, have caused the conclusions:

"That hunger is caused by the contraction of the stomach muscles close to the esophagus.

"That these contractions can be reduced by psychic means.

"That tonics and bitters ordinarily given to increase the appetite have no effect on the stomach, but tend to decrease rather than increase the appetite.

"That liquor and tobacco decrease the appetite.

"The pain caused by starvation is almost purely imaginary," said Dr. Carlson. "If one were able to adjust his mind to conditions—to forget that one was slowly starving to death—death would be almost without pain. We found there was no actual pain after the third day."

ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION.

Statement of the Finances of the Institution and a Summary of the Work and the Plans.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The statement of the finances of the Rockefeller Foundation, promised last night when the general summary of the work and plans of the foundation was made public was given out tonight at the office of the foundation here.

The funds of the foundation, all of which were contributed by John D. Rockefeller, consist of securities the market value of which at the time they were donated was $100,000,000. The present book value of these securities is given as $103,241,271. The income of the foundation to date has been approximately $5,500,000; its appropriations about $6,500,000.

A list of the funds which Mr. Rockefeller gave to the foundation shows that they embrace bonds, notes and stocks of 147 companies. The net profits on securities sold and redeemed have been $319,733.

The unexpended income is given as $2,931,537, and the cash on hand as $689,545. The total funds of the foundation on December 1 are given as $103,930,817.

In making his gift to the foundation, the statement says:

"Mr. Rockefeller expressly empowered the directors of the foundation in their discretion to utilize the principal or the income, or both, for the chartered purposes of the foundation, namely, 'to promote the well-being of mankind throughout the world.'"

MRS. M'CREADY ON TRIAL.

Woman is Charged with Sending Letters in Which Charges of Gross Misconduct were Made.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DETROIT, Dec. 7.—Mrs. Margaret McCready of Ypsilanti, Mich., charged by the government with being the author of a score or more of letters mailed to prominent Ypsilanti residents, was placed on trial in Federal Court here today. She was arrested in June and has since been at liberty under $1000 bonds furnished by relatives.

The letters the defendant is alleged to have written were first sent to the wives of leading citizens charging them with immorality and breaches of marriage ties. If the women appeared to take no cognizance of them, other letters, repeating the charges, were mailed to their husbands.

ROCKHILL CRITICALLY ILL.

Noted Diplomat Taken Sick on Way to China is Rushed to Hospital at Honolulu.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE.]

HONOLULU, Dec. 7.—William W. Rockhill, noted diplomat, is critically ill, it was reported tonight at the hospital here to which he was taken Friday from the liner Chiyo Maru, en route to China. At that time it was said he was suffering from a severe cold.

Mr. Rockhill, who has served the nation as Minister to Greece and China, Ambassador to Russia and Turkey, plenipotentiary to China, and in other diplomatic posts, was en route to Peking to become adviser to President Yuan Shi Kai.

He left San Francisco November 28 in apparently good health. He is 60 years old.

Roman.

ITALIANS ON THE GO.

Troops are Ordered to Libya.

To be Ready for Any Aggression, Reported Purpose of the Move.

German Victory at Lodz the Wonder and Amazement of Military World.

Indications of Strong Offensive Tactics by the Allies in Flanders.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROME, Dec. 7, 8:15 p.m.—Eight battalions of Italian troops have been ordered to Libya to reinforce the troops there and, according to the announcement, "to be ready for any aggression."

LONDON, Dec. 7, 9:25 p.m.—After a long battle, fought with the greatest stubbornness, the Germans have succeeded in occupying Lodz, Poland, which is an unfortified city. According to the Berlin report, the Russians suffered severe losses and are in retreat.

The success of the Germans is considered by military experts a really remarkable achievement. Less than a fortnight ago the army to which this victory has fallen was surrounded by Russians and cut its way out only at the last moment, losing great numbers of men and many guns. Yet it was able within a few days to reorganize, take the offensive, and defeat the Russians defending Lodz.

This was made possible by the network of strategic railways on the German side of the frontier, over which reinforcements can be sent where they are most needed. The Russians, on the other hand, vigorously attacked on both wings, were unable to send fresh men to stiffen their center, to meet the German wedge, and were compelled to fall back.

There will be undoubtedly much more fighting before the campaign in this district is concluded. Lods was won only after hand-to-hand fighting in the suburbs of the city, and the whole Russian line from north to south is now straightened out and will contest every foot of ground with the invaders.

In the meantime, taking advantage of the preoccupation of the Germans in the east, the allied French, Belgian and British forces have begun an offensive movement in the west. They are now virtually in possession of the left bank of the Yser Canal and in Northern France, particularly in the neighborhood of La Bassee, where the Germans hold a very strong position, the allies are beginning with a heavy cannonade to feel their way eastward.

The same process is being followed along the whole front. The French official communication speaks of "the superiority of our offensive," and the "marked advantage" of the French artillery over that of the Germans.

The advance, slight as it is in the northwest, has ended for the present at least, in the opinion of many, the German menace to the coast ports. It is believed that so long as the Germans are compelled to keep up the strength of their army in the east they will be unable to assume the offensive in the west. There is a report, however, that the Germans have kept the pick of their western army in the Aisne Valley, whence at the opportune moment they can hurl it against the French lines and make another effort to get through to Paris.

King Peter of Servia, who has been ill for many months, has assumed command of the Servian army, and, according to a Nish report, has checked the advance of the Austrians, inflicting heavy losses on them. The Austrian reply to this is that "The occupation of Belgrade necessitates the grouping of our troops."

The political news of the day was the authoritative announcement from Sofia that it was not considered possible anything would intervene to make it necessary for Bulgaria to change her policy of strict neutrality until next spring.

"YES, WE DID IT, BUT EXCUSE US!"

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERNE, Dec. 7.—In connection with the alleged violation of the neutrality of the air over Switzerland it became known here today that when Great Britain expressed to the Swiss federal council regret that her aviators had inadvertently failed to observe their instructions and avoid Swiss territory when flying to Friedrichshafen in Germany. The British authorities expressly declare that this must not be interpreted as a recognition on the part of the British government of the existence of a sovereignty of the air.

FRENCH PRESIDENT IS COMING BACK.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BORDEAUX (France) Dec. 7.—President Poincare will transfer his official residence to Paris this week. He will arrive there in time to preside at a Cabinet meeting on Friday.

Tokio.

IMPERIAL DIET IS IN SESSION.

Seiyukai Party is Reported to be Losing its Grip.

China's Attitude Toward Tsing-Tao Amazes.

Fear Japs will Ask Indemnity if it is Returned.

BY ERNEST W. CLEMENT.
[BY PACIFIC CABLE.]

TOKIO, Dec. 7.—Prospects for the thirty-fifth session of the Imperial Diet, which was formally opened today, are uncertain. All parties are opposed to a dissolution. Recent by-elections were unfavorable to the Seiyukai party, indicating that it would lose its majority in case of a general election, while the government would not be likely to obtain a working majority.

Nevertheless, in case the government is defiant and the opposition obstreperous, dissolution is probable. This, however, would be likely to be conducive to the development of representative institutions.

For some months the Seiyukai party, successor of the old Liberal party, which has a majority of members in the House of Representatives in the Japanese Diet, has been losing strength. The government in Japan is still largely tribal instead of representative, so that the present ministry finds it possible to control affairs without having at its back a political party that is in control of the representative branch of the Diet.

The Chinese authorities do not wish Tsing-tao returned. They think Japan will demand compensation and that Germany also will make trouble. They therefore desire that Japan and Germany settle the question between themselves and not bother China about it.

This attitude is looked on here as showing astounding indifference to the republic's welfare.

EFFECT OF WAR ON THE JAPANESE.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

TOKIO, Nov. 7.—Big business interests of Japan, some of which have opposed from the start the participation of Japan in the war, are wondering how Japan will be able to borrow needed money from now on. "The war may be necessary for Japan from a political and ethical standpoint," said a prominent banker to the correspondent of the Associated Press, "but I wonder if it will be a good thing for business. Moreover, I think it will be impossible for Japan to borrow money in Europe within the fire or seven years following the close of the war."

Japan, he continued, desired to go on with her work of commercial and financial development. The European money market being closed, bankers were asking themselves whether it would be possible to secure loans in the United States. The business interests were anxious to create closer and more extensive business relations with the United States, and to make the Pacific Ocean a sphere not only of peace, but of greater commercial activity. It was evident, he said, that there existed in Japan today a powerful current of opinion in this direction, which was opposed to any consideration of local politics or party strife interfering with such a trade and commercial development.

Viscount Inajiro Tajiri, president of the board of auditors, who studied economics and finance at Yale University, has written this month about the fundamental solution of Japanese finance, which he considered the most difficult problem that Japan has to face. In Japan, it was, perhaps, more difficult than in any other country in the world, and yet there was no country on earth where there was such hope for the future, if all classes continued to co-operate toward the one end of financial consolidation.

He wrote:

"The question that most vitally affects national finance in this country is that of food. It is in fact the great fundamental problem of the nation. Solve this problem and the problem of finance is solved. At present our food supply is deficient and renders us a debtor nation. This is reflected in our excess of imports over exports and our unfavorable balance of trade generally. The government is in debt and private enterprise is in debt to the extent of hundreds of millions. Many of our municipalities are in debt, too. More than 200,000,000 yen ($100,000,000) of our business capital is foreign money."

"It is not too much to say that the whole difficulty lies in our deficiency in food supply, chiefly in rice, the staff of life in Japan."

Dr. Tajiri pointed out that the annual supply of rice was deficient and was made more so by the annual consumption of 20,000,000 bushels by the breweries for making the native drink called sake. In eating rice, much of which she imported, Japan was eating verily "the money of the usurer." It would be a long time before Japan became a creditor nation, and in addition to adopting the remedies of reorganization of commerce and industry and more extensive colonization, Japan must readjust her cultivated land so as to insure an annual increase in the rice crops of at least 35,000,000 bushels. He declared:

"If we go on importing the most necessary articles of food and export only luxuries and ornaments we cannot bring about the desired change." Much also could be done, he thinks, by exterminataing injurious insects which destroy 73,000,000 bushels of rice every year. Improved methods would increase crops in Hokkaido, Korea and Formosa. In the south two crops a year could easily be raised.

"Whata Japan has to do is to make agriculture the main vocation of the people. Let her become as successful a commercial and industrial people as she may, yet she should never forget that without agriculture there is no hope for her as a nation. Agricultural reforms constitute the best policy for promoting national economy. It is the ill-considered notion that industry rather than agriculture should be the foundation of national economy that lead so many young men of Japan to forsake the land and wander to the cities where they come to nothing.

"Another necessary reform relates to foreign trade. Instead of importing necessities and exporting luxuries Japan's goal should be to export the necessities. She should learn to grow her own cotton, as she is now attempting to do in Korea."

In conclusion, Viscount Tajiri warns his fellow-countrymen thus:

"Japan needs to be careful to guard against the western tendency to run after ornament and to be reckless of the more practical things of life. Our people should think more about the substance and meaning of life. The foundation of national economy depends much upon the economy of individuals. If we began by reforms in the supply and consumption of food and then went on to improve commerce and industry we would be taking the right and natural course."

MUNICIPAL TAX.

The abolition of foreign settlements in Korea which became effective on December 31, 1913, means that foreigners this year begin to pay a municipal tax upon their property. Hitherto foreigners were exempted from taxation. The budget of the government of Korea, or Chosen, for next year has been made up and will be placed before the Cabinet in Tokio. It has been framed upon the financial policy adopted by the Governor-General, which is that of carrying out the independence of the finances of Chosen in five years.

Notwithstanding the increase of taxation there has been a diminution of revenue by $500,000 in the customs, railroads and posts and telegraphs, chiefly on account of the European war. Altogether a deficit of $1,250,000 must be made up, partly by economy in the expenses of various offices and partly by carrying forward to the future the redemption of some extraordinary loans.

In recognition of services rendered on the question of abolishing foreign settlements, the Emperor of Japan has decorated the Russian, French, Belgian and Chinese Consul-Generals with the order of the Rising Sun. The American and British Consuls, who also helped in the work, are not permitted by their governments to accept decorations.

BRYAN IS QUOTED BY A JAPANESE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—"He knows what everybody knows—that we are doing all we can do to remove the friction out there."

This was the comment of Secretary Bryan today upon a statement cabled from Honolulu, that a Japanese clergyman, the Rev. K. Tsumsahoma, had received assurances that the President and Secretary Bryan would do their utmost to secure the repeal of the anti-Japanese laws of California. The Secretary explained that in his conversations with the Japanese clergyman he had only expressed the sentiment with which every one was familiar.

TONS OF FOOD FOR THE BELGIANS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 7.—Although the American Commission for Relief in Belgium made no appeal for subscriptions in Great Britain, more than $95,000 has been received from British newspaper readers. With this sum the relief commission has purchased 1600 tons of food supplies and has chartered the steamship Borgny, which will sail for Rotterdam in a few days.

BORROWED WHEAT PREVENTS FAMINE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROTTERDAM, Dec. 7.—At a meeting held here today of The Netherlands Cabinet, attended by Charge d'Affaires Langhorne and Capt. T. F. Lucey of the Belgian Relief Commission, the government consented to loan and to deliver immediately 10,000 tons of wheat, valued at $1,000,000, to be used at once in Belgium at such points where the danger of starvation is most acute. The commission has been faced with a desperate situation.

CENSOR OPENS PRINCE'S LETTER.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONDON, Nov. 27.—The Prince of Wales during his first week at the front sent two long letters to his mother relating his experiences and observations. Both letters were opened by the censor and officially passed in the same manner as those of the ordinary soldier. It is expected that the Prince will remain abroad for several months, although he may be given a brief leave of absence at Christmas so that he may spend the holidays with his parents.

Estimate.

LOSSES OF THE FRENCH HALF A MILLION MEN.

[BY A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

PARIS, Nov. 24.—The French War Office does not issue lists of losses in the war. A correspondent, by inquiry in various quarters, estimates that the French loss in dead up to November 10, something under 100,000 men. The number of wounded and sick soldiers being cared for in French hospitals on November 19, appears to have been about 400,000. The Swiss government's bureau for the exchange of prisoners of war has the names of 90,000 French prisoners in Germany. Taking these figures together, the total losses of the French army would be about 590,000 men.

The French military authorities, through their agents and spies, are well informed as to the situation of the German army. The French estimate the number of German killed in battle on this frontier as considerably exceeding 100,000 because the German tactics have been more continually on the offensive, with correspondingly heavier losses than the defensive.

The French military administration does not share in the popular view that the German losses have been enormously in excess of those of the French. Neither is any credence given to the reports of bad provisioning of the German army and of soldiers famished and driven by overwork to exhaustion. French commanders have no illusions on these subjects.

Berlin.

JEWISH OFFICERS IN GERMAN ARMY

Twenty-six are Now Wearing Shoulder Straps.

More Than Seven Hundred Given Iron Crosses.

Reports Show Terror of Battle Causes Insanity.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Dec. 7.—It was announced officially today that twenty-six Jews had received commissions in the German army. Twelve of these are from Prussia, twelve from Bavaria, one from Saxony, and one from Wuertemburg.

In all, 710 Jewish soldiers have received iron crosses, three of them of the first-class.

It was also announced officially that the German government, in releasing Rear-Admiral Reginald Neeld, the retired British officer, on whose behalf President Wilson made representations through Ambassador Gerard, did not ask England for any equivalent concession.

TERROR OF BATTLE CAUSES INSANITY.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

BERLIN, Nov. 21.—The military medical authorities made preparations at the outbreak of the war for treating mental maladies caused by the terrors of battle. It had been shown by the Russo-Japanese war that the effect of the long-drawn-out modern battle, with its terrible and incessant roar of artillery, was in a high degree unfavorable, and the record of mental derangements caused by the battles in the Far East opened a new chapter in the horrors of war. In anticipation that similar results would attend the present war, the German authorities established at Strassburg a special hospital for the treatment of diseases of the mind caused by battle.

One of the physicians attached to this hospital has just given, in the Munich Medical Weekly, some of his observations. He found that mental disorders manifested themselves among the Alsatian population even during the period of mobilization, when the terror of being arrested as a spy was ever present with many persons. Still greater have been the numbers of persons who lost their mental balance through the terrors of battle and especially through long-continued fatigue. Some of these patients showed something like hysteria and kept repeating in a dramatic way incidents that they had seen in battle.

The writer uses a special term, "neurasthenic depression" to describe the effects upon a large number of patients who had seen continuous fighting. People suffering in this way could not rid themselves of the notion that they were still on the battlefield, and often had the illusion that an enemy was slipping upon them from the rear.

HEAVY FIRING ALONG COAST.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 7, 10:05 p.m.—Heavy firing was heard along the Belgian coast today, according to a Reuter dispatch from Amsterdam, indicating that the warships of the allies again are bombarding the German positions.

The Sluis correspondent of the Handelsblad says the Germans delivered violent attacks today on trenches recently captured by the allies, but were repulsed and adds that the allies have made marked progress in the neighborhood of Langemarck, Zonnebeke and Bixschoote.

The Germans have been obliged to substitute lighter guns for their heavy artillery, as the inundations have made the use of the latter impracticable.

MESSAGES OF GRATITUDE.

Queen of the Belgians and the Duchess of Vendome Send Their Thanks to American Women.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Messages of gratitude to the women of America from Elizabeth, Queen of Belgium, and the Duchess of Vendome, sister of King Albert of Belgium, written at the headquarters of the Belgian army on the battle line, were received here today by the woman's section of the American Committee for Relief in Belgium.

The messages, obtained during the course of one of the recent battles, were cabled here by H. C. Hoover, chairman of the American commission in London, who has just returned to England after a week's visit in Belgium.

Queen Elizabeth's message reads as follows:

"It gives me great pleasure to accept the invitation which has been transmitted to me to become patroness of the woman's section of the American Commission for Relief in Belgium. I wish to extend to the women of America the deep gratitude of the women of Belgium for the work which they are doing for my people. The food which your country is daily providing to our women and children comes like a ray of sunlight in the darkest hour of Belgium's history. The Belgian women have fought a brave fight and are still fighting for the common cause of human liberty so dear to every American woman's heart.

[Signed] "ELIZABETH."

The message from the Duchess said:

"I gladly accept your invitation to become patroness of the woman's section of the American Commission for Relief in Belgium. I know that I speak for every Belgian woman and every Belgian child when I say that we thank God for what you are doing. Now that the extremity of our distress is becoming known, we feel sure the tender heart of the women of America will respond to our cry. Food is terribly needed by millions of my brave brother's unhappy subjects who still remain in their native land. Before winter is over the need will become still more desperate. In the name of the suffering women and little children in Belgium, I ask the women of America to help us.

[Signed] "HENRIETTE."

See Real Fighting

In the Belgian War pictures. Two shows afternoons, two at night. Trinity Auditorium, Grand Ave. near Ninth.

IS KILLED BY ARROW.

Airman Ends the Life of a Major-General of the German Army.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BERNE, Dec. 7.—The Bavarian press reports that Maj.-Gen. Von Meyer, while entering a motor car, was killed by an arrow shot by a hostile aviator.

Taft.

PLEASE KEEP WARSHIPS HOME.

THIS IS PAN-AMERICAN REQUEST TO THE OLD WORLD.

Representatives of Every Republic in the New Hemisphere to Meet in Washington Today and Ask Europe to Remove Vessels from this Side of the Atlantic.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Diplomatic representatives of all the republics of North and South America except Mexico will meet tomorrow at the Pan-American Union building to discuss measures looking to negotiations with the European belligerents for withdrawal of their warships from the waters of this hemisphere.

Secretary Bryan talked informally today with the Argentine Ambassador and the Peruvian Minister about some of the suggestions which will be taken under consideration. Mr. Bryan has pointed out that while the Secretary of State of the United States is the presiding officer at meetings of the governing board of the Pan-American Union, none of the proposals which have been made to the Washington government contemplating a betterment of trade conditions will be laid before the Council in an official way. While the governing board's action will be of an advisory character, it is hoped by the diplomats chiefly interested to bring about a concord of opinion so that all the nations of the two Americas may act in unison in approaching the belligerents of Europe.

It is generally expected that after expressions of opinion about the best method of dealing with the present situation have been brought out, a commission will be appointed to prepare suggestions for a solution of the difficulties.

CLEARINGHOUSE OF ALIEN FOES.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONDON, Nov. 24.—An investigation of the detention camps at Newbury, Frimley, the Olympia in London, and Douglas, Isle of Man, where German and Austrian prisoners are held by the British government, shows that in these camps there are nearly 14,000 prisoners. The number throughout the British Isles is about 25,000.

In these four camps there have been only ten deaths. Five of the prisoners were killed by the guards during the recent rioting at the camp at Douglas. Four deaths were due to natural causes, not related with the rigors of confinement. The tenth death was an accident, a German soldier being thrown from a motor truck.

Olympia, a vast, dark and gloomy place, is a sort of clearinghouse for the alien enemies.

RELIEF SHIP FOR NORTHWEST.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Dec. 7.—The committee appointed by Gov. Ernest Lister to handle the supplies gathered in Washington for the Belgian relief announced after a meeting here today that the steamship Washington, 7500 tons, which has been chartered to carry supplies from the Northwest, will come to Puget Sound to load between January 3 and January 25. Half the cargo will be loaded at Seattle and Tacoma, after which the Washington will proceed to Portland to load supplies contributed from Oregon.

CHRISTMAS SHIP ARRIVES IN GENOA.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

GENOA (via Rome) Dec. 7, 6:30 p.m.—The United States collier Jason arrived here today and is awaiting arrangements to disembark the Christmas presents she has brought for the children of the warring nations.

Watch Us Grow.

TO SHIP COPPER WITHOUT DELAY.

Cotton Also may be Sent to Any Accessible Port.

American Exporters Make Terms with England.

Embargo on Rubber and Wool may be Raised.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—As the result of a series of conferences between the British Ambassador and the officials at the State Department, Secretary Bryan announced today that an arrangement had been made to minimize delays incident to the shipment of cotton from American ports to the European countries, including all belligerents. The British government already has become a party to this arrangement, and the French Ambassador has given assurances that his government will approve.

The plan is to have the captain of a cotton-laden vessel receive from the British Consul at the port of departure in the United States a statement to be exhibited to the commanding officer of any cruiser of the allies which might speak to him on the high seas. The British Consuls are expected to satisfy themselves as to the character of the cargo before a ship sails, but it is understood they will be instructed to accept the assurance of reputable exporters as to the character of the cargo.

The State Department is not to figure in these arrangements, which are to be made between the American shippers as individuals and the foreign consular officers. Mr. Bryan said he was satisfied that this method would afford a means of moving American cotton freely. He explained that already it was being put into practice and a large steamer would be loaded with cotton at Charleston, S. C., shortly and be dispatched to a continental European port with every prospect of making a speedy and uninterrupted voyage.

It was learned today that the British government finally has secured the adoption by the neutral governments of Europe either of embargoes or understandings that copper shall not be permitted to pass across their borders into belligerent States. In consequence it was stated that there probably will be no further difficulty in the shipment of American copper to Europe, provided it was consigned to persons or firms by name in the neutral countries and not intended for the use of belligerent governments.

Negotiations still are in progress regarding the raising of the British embargo on rubber exports from Great Britain's colonies which have seriously affected the American manufacturers of this staple.

Regarding the embargo on wool exports it has been explained officially that this operates only to prevent the exportation of Australian and other British colonial wools to points outside of England or her colonies. It does not apply to Argentine wools or wools coming from any other country into England and bought for re-exportation to America.

BRITISH OFFICERS' LOSSES HEAVY.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONDON, Nov. 23.—A list of officers' casualties for the week ended November 23 shows particularly heavy losses among British officers for these seven days. The total is 395, which comprises 106 killed and 233 wounded. Fifty-one are missing.

Added to the previous totals this latest list shows that all told up to date, Great Britain has lost in the war 887 officers killed, 1777 wounded, 549 missing, or a total officers' casualty list of 3213 men.

In the seven days ended today eleven regiments at the front had ten or more officers reported as killed, wounded or missing.

NORWEGIAN SHIP GOES TO BOTTOM.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 7.—The Norwegian steamer Nygaard, previously reported ashore off Esbjerg, Denmark, has been driven a mile nearer the shore line and has gone to the bottom. The Nygaard, from Port Arthur and Pensacola for Esbjerg, was reported ashore November 26 with fifteen feet of water in her hold. This same day her crew were landed safely at Esbjerg.

Confidence.

PARIS BOURSE REOPENS; PRICES ARE HELD FIRM.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Dec. 7.—When the Paris Bourse opened today after being closed since September 31, a large gathering of brokers and the public assembled, but their presence apparently simply was out of curiosity. The strident cries of stock prices usually audible were entirely absent and if transactions took place they were effected in the course of conversations.

The market opened hesitatingly and the closing was generally good. Rentes were quoted at 72 francs, 50 centimes. The exchange on London was quoted at 25.10.

Bellicose.

SPEECH OF SALANDRA STIRS THE AUSTRIANS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

MILAN (via Rome) Dec. 6, 1:45 p.m. (delayed in transmission.)—Advices received from the Austrian frontier and published today in the Secolo, are that the statement of Premier Salandra in the Italian Parliament Thursday had an immediate echo in Austrian military circles.

Friday night, the correspondent says, the railway lines poured troops all along the Italian border and also into Pola, the Austrian arsenal on the Peninsula of Istria. It is estimated that 200,000 men were stationed along the Italian border and 100,000 at Pola.

"At the same time," the correspondent continues, "anti-Italian manifestations took place at various points. At Pragerhoff Hungarian soldiers spat in the faces of Italian workmen. Officers who witnessed these attacks did not interfere. At Steinbruck other soldiers ill-treated disabled Italian workmen who were making their headquarters in the station."

MRS. LAUGENOUR LOSES FORTUNE.

WOMAN ACCUSED OF KISSING LOS ANGELES PREACHER, ALSO DENIED DIVORCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WOODLAND, Dec. 7.—Mrs. Irma Laugenour of San Francisco, who only a few days ago was denied a divorce, was ordered today to return $100,000 Yolo county property to her husband, W. N. Laugenour. Laugenour began the land suit here on November 29, 1913, soon after his wife had started action in San Francisco for legal separation.

Today Superior Judge Hawkins decided that love and affection was not the real consideration which prompted Laugenour to deed certain property to his wife in 1903 and in 1909, but that he made the deeds to negotiate a loan and with the expressed understanding that his wife would re-convey them to him upon demand.

As soon as Laugenour pays his wife $2300, said to represent the amount of his indebtedness covered by Mrs. Laugenour, a final decree in the land case will be entered in his favor.

As the Laugenours are well connected and lived here before they moved to San Francisco, much interest was evinced in the outcome of the divorce and land suits. In the divorce suit Laugenour charged his wife with kissing a Los Angeles preacher.

BOOM COLLAPSES.

Giant Crane Buckles During Test and is Partially Wrecked—One Man is Injured.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

COLON, Dec. 7.—During a test today of the new German-made pontoon crane Hercules, the boom collapsed and buckled while it was lifting 120 tons. One end of the boom was buried in the sand and a large portion of the crane was wrecked. The damage can be repaired, however. One man was injured. The Hercules cost more than a quarter of a million dollars.

Life's Seamy Side.

KEEP GRAFT ALL AT HOME.

ALLEGED POLICY OF THE CHICAGO POLICE OUTLINED.

Man from Alabama Confesses He was Prevented from Opening a Clairvoyant Office, Which Act, He Said, Led to the Shooting of Several Persons, Including Policeman.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Another confession—that of George E. Williams, a confidence man, who boasts the alias of Harry Brown, the Alabama Kid, was added tonight to the stories of swindlers by which Maclay Hoyne, State's Attorney, hopes to prove collusion between the police and some criminal rings.

Williams, according to his confession, was brought to Chicago from Alabama by Barney Bertsche, head of the clairvoyant ring, who became envious when he saw the prosperous state of Clarence Class, head of a wire-tapping crowd.

After renting and equipping an office, Williams was prevented from opening, he said, by the local pride of Police Lieutenant Tobin and William Egan.

"It is not right for these out-of-town crooks to come in here and get the money from the home boys," Egan protested to Bertsche, according to Williams.

This caused a hitch in the proceedings and while negotiations still were under way the shooting affair occurred which sent Bertsche, Egan and others to the hospital.

A writ of habeas corpus for the release of Tom Kerwin, a Democratic politician, charged with acting as a go-between for Class and the police was issued by Judge Herstan and immediately after Kerwin was booked on nine warrants, charging operating a confidence game, conspiracy, and receiving stolen property.

The warrants are based on complaints of Theodore Russell of Jefferson, Iowa, who said he was swindled out of $5000, September 15, 1914; Allen Probst, Chicago, said to have been swindled of $11,000 September 3, 1914, and William Knox, who said he lost $7500 September 22, 1914.

The confessions will be presented to the new December grand jury tomorrow.

THE STATUS OF OUR CHINESE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—A bill to require all Chinese now in the United States to obtain within one year certificates of residence as a measure against Chinese smuggling was introduced today by Senator Lodge.

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[BY DIRECT WIRE—...]

NEW YORK ... TIMES, Dec. 7.—... fact at the present ... war in Europe is the ... Germans in holding ... France in spite of the ... they are making in Poland. ... bardment of Cost ... miles west of Nieuport, ... the Germans still ... upon the lower Yser.

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FRENCH CR... BADLY DA...

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

MARTINIQUE, ... French cruiser Desaix ... damaged condition, put in ... for repairs.

Commentary.

OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUES FROM THE GREAT W...

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Dec. 7.—The German official statement given out in Berlin this afternoon says that in Northern Poland German forces were successful in prolonged fighting around Lodz, in defeating strong Russian forces stationed to the northwest and to the southwest of that city.

The text of the announcement follows:

"No especial reports have been received from the western theater of the war nor from the region to the east of the plain of the Masurian Lakes. In Northern Poland we gained important successes in prolonged fighting around Lodz by defeating strong Russian forces stationed to the northwest and to the southwest of this city. Lodz is in our possession. Details of the battle giving us Lodz cannot yet be made public because of the extended field over which the engagement was fought. The Russian losses were very large. An attempt by the Russians to come to the assistance of their threatened armies in the north from Northern Poland was foiled by the activity of the Austro-Hungarian and German troops in the district southwest of Piotrkow."

THE FRENCH REPORT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Dec. 7, 11:45 p.m.—The official communique issued by the French War Office tonight ... [illegible]

"In Belgium, ... bombarded Ostende ... four kilometers (about ... a half) to the west of ...

"Between Bethune ... have taken possession ... of Vermelles and the ... Ruterre, to the east of ... along the railway ...

"Our troops have ... tibly in the region of ... villers and Le ... (Department of ...

"There is nothing ...

FROM THE AUSTRIANS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

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"In West Galicia ... are proceeding, but ... reported. The Austrians ... captured 1100 Russians ... tory Sunday.

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Sixty-third Congress.

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...gislative Programme S... in the Making.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

...ASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Cong... ...ssed today after the fall rec... ...bers had reunions in the Sen... ...House and after the introduct... ...bills and resolutions and passing ...al measures incident to the op... ...of a new session, both houses ...ed to await the delivery tom... ...of the President's annual m...

...fifty members discussed informa... ...the legislative programme for t... ...session of the Sixty-third C... ...which will end March 4, ...definite plans were made for pa... ...ferences. These will not be c... ...ed until the President has b... ...ed from. The message will ... ...ered personally by Presid... ...ore before a joint session in t... ...ber of the House at 12... ...ck, a joint resolution arrang... ...the session having been adop... ...e adjournment for the day. ... ...evening Senator Kern a... ...sentative Underwood, the ... ...Democratic leaders, conferred w... ...President at the White Hou... ...Wilson sent for them late in ... ...and met them separately, read... ...em the message which he ... ...tomorrow and discussing ... ...ation which he desires should ...ered in addition to the appr... ...e measures which necessari... ...take up much time of the ab...

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...ussing the legislative pr... ...Mr. Underwood declar... ...there surely would be a vote ... ...proposed Hobson resolution f... ...ion to the States of a cons... ...amendment for national pr... ...This has not been includ... ...projected programmes of legi... ...that have been discussed sin... ...ration leaders returned ...

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...MEN TO MEET.

...y Want to Find out Why it is ... They Cannot Get Their Prod... to the Consumer Abroad.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

...SHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Plans are ... considered for a conference here ... representatives of copper pro... ...ected by Great Britain's rul... ...copper shipments. The Gov... ...of Utah and Montana have ap... ...their plans.

...& Ruling for Shippers.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

...SHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The In... Commerce Commission's or... ...prohibited railroads from ... grain reshipping privileges ... to the discrimination of ... was sustained today by the ... Court and the old Commerce ... decision, which had annulled ... was reversed. The com... had ruled that Atlanta and ... must have the same privi... Evansville.

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DZ VICTORY A GREAT THING

alyst Finds a Parallel Western Situation.

rmans Hold Their Line France Just the Same.

mies of the Allies Gain Some Lost Ground.

an Associate Editor of the and Navy Journal.

DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE

EW YORK BUREAU OF ES, Dec. 7.—The most at the present stage of the in Europe is the success mans in holding their nces in spite of the great ef are making in Poland. The dment of Oost Dunkerke es west of Nieuport, shows Germans still maintain their n the lower Yser.

t Dixmude the French are g to dislodge the Germans ir positions on the west river in order to safeguard anced position that the re gained east of Ypres. The ces has carried the British es east of Ypres, and has them a good base for a gressive move against the ne' right flank.

West of Lens the French e of Rutoire shows that than three miles in this rman attacks in this direc llar reverse is shown at Parvillers, five miles south aines. This shows that the rman attacks in this district French line back for two in Alsace, close to the Swiss Germans have attempted expedition to cut off the ding forces from their fort. This expedition push rd to Pfetterhausen on the rder, ten miles southwest rch. The French seem to h awn from the latter town sent fighting is reported a Altkirch. The French c ceases in last night's e in reality belated acti nts of the reverses that t red three weeks ago. Appa rmans made an especially fort in the west just before ir last reinforcements to th an campaign.

The armies of the allies h pparently been strengthen e regaining the lost g any points. The more t ention of heavy artillery as of the French forces is especi ficant as a deficiency in the nt has been one of their weaknesses.

The first stage of the ge Western Poland has ap rmans to Lowicz and Lod the confidence of the Ger anders of being able to h e Germans with the forc concentrated for this purp dvance carries the Germ n miles to the scene of t ghting during the battle er 23.

While the above succes nexpected weakness in th rength of the Russian ar e means places Warsaw i between the Polish capital resent battle line there o defensive positions along w nd the Utrata rivers, which f forts surrounding Warsa rnish a strong defense o rps of guns to which th perating in Western Poland ed by the rough roads.

One result of the Germa Lodz will probably be f the Russians from Lodz withdrawing to Pietrk would keep their forces beh nd would consequently be ppose a stronger resistan erman attacks.

The campaign against Cra ttle influenced as yet by t ons at Lodz. The Russ this district have a cer treat if such should be n The immediate object of an invasion is not believed ssure of Warsaw. At a direction would be a aste of energy. The mo nt immediate interest for th ans is to relieve the pressu e Austrians in Galicia.

RENCH CRUISER BADLY DAMAG

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AND A. P.]

ficial communication issued ar Office tonight, follows: "In Belgium, the Germa mbarded Oost Dunkerke ur kilometers (about two half) to the west of Nieu "Between Bethune and L ve taken possession of Vermelles and the positio Lutterre, to the east of which ong the railway line."

"Our troops have advanced bly in the region of Roeux illers and Le Quesnoy on Department of Somme.)

"There is nothing else to

FROM THE AUSTRIAN

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A

VIENNA (via Amsterdam Dec. 8, 12:20 a.m.—The g official announcement issued by the Austrian War Office

"The fighting in the Bzu nsiter is not yet decided. ro-Hungarian and German the district southwest of Poland) attacked the Russ dvancing northward acro domsko and forced them

"In West Galicia impor e proceeding, but no result ported. The Austro-Germ ptured 1500 Russians in

ay Sunday.

"In the Carpathians the ntinue, and from some emy has withdrawn behind the mountains."

Sixty-third Congress.

OPENING DAY SAME AS USUAL.

ots of Noise, No Business and Adjournment.

Wilson's Message to be Read at Noon Today.

Legislative Programme Still in the Making.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Congress convened today after the fall recess. Both had reunions in the Senate and House and after the introduction of bills and resolutions and passage of routine measures incident to the opening of a new session, both houses adjourned to await the delivery tomorrow of the President's annual message.

Many members discussed informally the legislative programme for the session of the Sixty-third Congress, which will end March 4, next, and definite plans were made for party conferences. These will not be concluded until the President has been heard from. The message will be delivered personally by President Wilson before a joint session in the hall of the House at 12:30 o'clock, a joint resolution arranging for the session having been adopted and an adjournment for the day.

This evening Senator Kern and Representative Underwood, the majority floor leaders, conferred with the President at the White House. Messages sent for them late in the day and not them separately, reading to them the message which he will deliver tomorrow and discussing the things which he desires should be included in addition to the appropriation measures which necessarily will take up much time of the short session.

"There is nothing which the President has in mind," said Representative Underwood after leaving the White House, "with which I am not in accord and I see no reason why the programme of legislation which I have suggest should not be carried through before adjournment. If there is any truth in the report that every Democratic member of the House—and I believe also of the Senate as well—has a pet measure against, it is an extra session is inevitable. I do not believe there will be."

Regarding the legislative programme Mr. Underwood declared that there surely would be a vote on the proposed Hobson resolution for submission to the States of a constitutional amendment for national prohibition. This has not been included in the printed programmes of legislation that have been discussed since the party leaders returned to Washington.

"There will be a vote on the proposed constitutional amendment for national prohibition," said Mr. Underwood, "and eventually, a rule to provide a way for a vote on it will be brought out in the House."

Appropriation bills will have the right of way and be rushed as rapidly as possible. Conservation legislation, the ship purchase bill and the House rules will pave the way for ultimate adjournment. Independence are first on the list of general legislation. It has been asserted after his talk with the President that there would be some general legislation to which there would be not opposition. In this class he includes the Porto Rican citizenship bill.

Long sessions in the House are to be marked with a spirit of harmony, despite the recent contest which resulted in great Republican gains in the House and slight Democratic gains in the Senate for the Democrats.

The President was given a rousing welcome by Democrats and Republicans when he appeared to call the House to order. Vice-President Marshall was also cordially applauded.

ONE MILLIONS.

How Any Man Can Count is Told of the New Rivers and Harbors Bill.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—More than $50,000,000 is estimated for improvement and maintenance of the nation's rivers and harbors during the fiscal year of 1915, which begins July 1. The great waterways require a large part of the money. The details of the works is made up of a relatively small number of large items and a comparatively large number of small items. The Mississippi jetties is $10,500,000; the Mississippi, $4,000,000; the Hudson, $3,670,000; Boston harbor more than $3,000,000; the Columbia and the Missouri, $2,000,000 each; the Delaware, $1,500,000; the Cumberland and the Ohio (Michigan,) $1,000,000 each.

The list of appropriations for the Columbia River are: Mouth, $1,750,000; Portland and Lower Willamette, $1,000,000; at the Cascades, $10,000; at the Dalles Rapids, $50,000; Upper Columbia and Snake rivers, $65,000.

Coast harbors: Humboldt harbor and bar, $100,000; Los Angeles harbor, $150,000; Oakland, $150,000; San Francisco, $10,000; San Pablo Bay, $10,000; Petaluma Creek and Napa River, $21,000; Redwood Creek, $10,000; Sacramento and Feather rivers, $110,000; improvement by Debris Commission, $140,000.

Honolulu, $200,000; Kahului, $100,000.

MEN TO MEET.

Plans Afoot to Find out Why it Is That They Cannot Get Their Products to the Consumer Abroad.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Plans are being formulated for a conference here between representatives of copper producers, followed by Great Britain's ruling against shipments. The Governors of Utah and Montana have approved the plans.

Ruling for Shippers.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The Interstate Commerce Commission's order prohibiting railroads from granting shipping privileges except to the discrimination of which was sustained today by the Supreme Court and the old Commerce Court, which had annulled the order, was reversed. The commission ruled that Atlanta and Birmingham have the same privileges.

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Defenses, the Issue.

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declarations of the last Democratic platform. He added that the naval experts would have to determine what an adequate navy was.

GARDNER STATEMENT.

Representative Gardner issued a statement tonight in which he said:

"The President, I think, has overlooked the fact that my resolution calls for a report as well as an investigation. Four different independent committees composed of about fifty members of Congress are charged with the duty of laying down our military policy in a haphazard, unrelated sort of way. How can four independent committees adequately investigate themselves and make an intelligent report?

"What the public wants to know is not what Chairman Hay, Chairman Sherley, Chairman Padgett and Chairman Fitzgerald think of their own and their predecessors' work; but what somebody else thinks of it.

"I notice that the President in the White House statement does not answer my question as to the propriety of smothering my resolution in the Committee on Rules without a square yea and nay vote, nor does he answer my question as to officers' testimony before the Committee on Rules.

"It may be easy enough to chloroform my resolution; it may not be difficult to chloroform me; but all the anaesthetics in the world can never lull to sleep the demand of an alarmed public sentiment that the truth must be revealed."

KAHN'S STAND.

Representative Kahn of California, ranking Republican of the House Naval Committee, in a formal statement today declared himself for a building programme to include a large number of submarines and torpedo boats, more battleships and an increase in navy enlistments. He indorsed a scheme of short term enlistment to provide a mobile army of 500,000 and a National Guard of 500,000.

SENATE INQUIRY OF ARMS SHIPMENTS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The Senate today adopted a resolution introduced by Senator Hitchcock, requesting the Secretary of Commerce to report on the extent of shipment of arms and other munitions of war to belligerent nations of Europe or to Canada. Hitchcock introduced it.

Senator Lodge introduced a resolution to create a national security commission to investigate the military preparedness of the United States. Senator Lodge asked that his resolution lie on the table until tomorrow.

TREATIES WITH THE LATINS.

Wilson Leaders Clamoring to Pay Colombia $25,000,000 and Ratify a Pact for Nicaraguan Rights.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Chairman Stone of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, and other administration leaders plan to press for ratification at this session of Congress the pending treaty with Nicaragua whereby the United States would obtain canal interoceanic route rights and naval bases in the Bay of Fonseca for $3,000,000. They also propose to urge ratification of the treaty to pay Colombia $25,00,000 for the partition of Panama.

THE BASIS OF ALL LITIGATION.

Inferentially it is Anger, for here's a Friendly Suit so Amiable that it is Dismissed.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Because the suit pending in the Supreme Court to test the power of the President to employ the National Guard outside the United States, is so amiable in character "as to divest it of a real litigatious quality," the Department of Justice today asked the Supreme Court to dismiss it. The suit is a friendly one brought by officers of the Ohio National Guards.

Obliging.

SCHWAB BOWS TO PRESIDENT.

POSTPONES BUILDING OF SUBMARINES FOR FOREIGNERS.

Although Informed that Legally Such Boats Could be Constructed, the Fore River Plant will Respect the Chief Executive's Wish that Nothing be Done Pending the War.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Secretary Bryan announced late today that Charles M. Schwab had informed him that the Fore River Shipbuilding Company would submit to the views of President Wilson and would not build submarines for any European belligerent.

Secretary Bryan gave out the following statement:

"When information reached the State Department that the Fore River company was planning to build a number of submarines for one of the allies, inquiry was made to ascertain the facts. As a result of this inquiry Mr. Schwab called at the State Department last week with his attorney and laid before the department what his company had planned to do, stating that before undertaking the work he had obtained the opinion of a number of international lawyers and was keeping within the requirements of neutrality as outlined by them.

"I stated to him that the President, basing his opinion upon information already obtained, regarded the work, as contemplated, a violation of the spirit of neutrality, but told him I would lay his statement before the President and then give him a final answer.

"On Friday I had a conference with the President and he instructed me to inform Mr. Schwab that this statement only confirmed him in the opinion previously formed, that the submarines should not be built. Within a few minutes after my return from the White House, Mr. Schwab called me by long distance telephone and told me that he submitted to the President's views of the subject and that I could announce that the firm would not build submarines for any belligerent country for delivery during the war. This closes the submarine incident."

BUILDING EIGHT NEW SUBMARINES.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—Eight submarines are building here at the Union Iron Works, in which Charles M. Schwab is interested. John A. McGregor, president of the company, took the ground that it was filling a structural order for the Electric Boat Company, the nature of which, and the ultimate destination of which were none of his business or knowledge. The Electric Boat Company is the holder of patents on one type of submarine.

FRANK DENIED RETRIAL.

Atlanta Man Convicted of Murdering Mary Phagan to be Again Sentenced to Death.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The Supreme Court today refused to issue a writ to review Leo M. Frank's conviction of the murder of Mary Phagan, an Atlanta factory girl.

Today's decision of the court ends attempts to save Frank's life by its intervention. Efforts will be made now, it was said, to procure a pardon or commutation of sentence from Georgia State officials.

DEATH SENTENCE AGAIN.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

ATLANTA (Ga.) Dec. 7.—Frank will be taken before the Fulton county Superior Court here next Wednesday for resentence to death for the murder of Mary Phagan. This announcement was made by Solicitor-General Dorsey today after receipt of news from Washington that the Supreme Court had refused to grant a writ of error for retrial of Frank's case by that tribunal.

Appropriations.

TO ADD FIVE MILLIONS TO THE DEFENSE BILL.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The nation's military and naval expense, during the next fiscal year, not including certain fixed expenses, would amount to $256,421,357, compared with $251,284,167 during the current year, under plans of the administration embodied in estimates submitted to Congress today.

This amount provides for the regular army, the military academy, the militia, so far as its cost to the Federal government is concerned, fortifications, arsenals, military posts, and the naval establishment, including the proposed naval building programme and the increase in the navy heretofore authorized.

The tentative administration naval building programme for the next fiscal year, as indicated in the estimates, is "for two battleships, six torpedo boat destroyers, eight or more submarines," one oiler or one gunboat, one of the submarines to be of the seagoing type and seven or more to be of the coast defense type. The hulls and outfits of these vessels alone would cost during the coming year almost $10,000,000 and their arms and armaments $9,425,000.

Democratic Leader Underwood, some of the members of the naval committees, and others in Congress, having in mind the European war's lessons, favor an increase in submarines, rather than in the larger type of naval craft. This sentiment is expected to be injected into debates during the present session. Tentative estimates for the naval programme are all "on the assumption that new vessels to be authorized at this session will be built by contract."

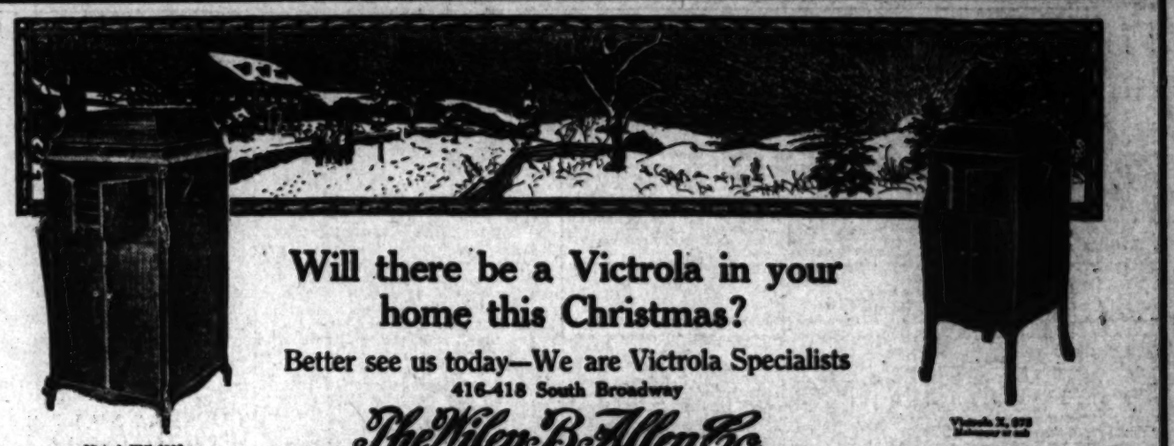
The final programme will be outlined by Secretary Daniels just before the naval bill is reported to the House.

Submarine mines, an important factor in the European conflict, are provided. For purchase of mines and necessary appliances to operate them "for closing the channels leading to our principal seaports and for continuing torpedo experiments," an appropriation of $191,350 is asked. There also is proposed $68,000 for maintenance of submarine mine material and for torpedo depot administration in continental United States. Congressional approval of the transfer of four twelve-inch mortars and their carriages, valued at $110,000, from fortifications in the United States into the insular possessions, is asked, together with an estimate of $50,000 for purchase of submarine mines for closing channels to insular seaports and $10,000 for maintenance of submarine mine material there; $17,000 for mining casemates and torpedo storehouses for Philippine defense and several small appropriations for defense of Hawaii.

In the general scheme of fortifications, aggregating almost $6,000,000, numerous increases are asked. For construction of gun and mortar carriages last year's appropriation is more than doubled in the estimate of $583,000 for fortifying Cape Henry, Va., together with $100,000 to modernize older emplacements. For purchase, manufacture and test of ammunition for mountain, field and siege cannon, $1,600,000 is asked, an increase of $400,000, and various items ranging from $100,000 to $450,000 for seacoast cannon, purchase of ammunition, subcaliber guns, alteration of three-inch batteries to rapid-fire field batteries are asked. For purchase of searchlights for defense of the more important harbors $150,000 is asked, an increase of $50,000; preparation of fortification plans doubled to $10,000 and maintenance of the mobile artillery, $55,000.

For fortifications in the insular possessions, $446,000 is asked, an increase of $90,000. The Panama Canal fortifications aggregate $1,942,228, an increase of $817,702, including $25,000 for torpedo buildings and $763,000 for purchase, manufacture and test of ammunition for seacoast and land force cannon and machinery for its manufacture at the arsenal and for maintenance of seacoast artillery. The Secretary of War also would be given discretionary authority to spend $50,000 of this amount to erect a building for manufacturing projectiles. The estimates also call for an appropriation of $568,580 for construction of barracks for the mobile army and coast artillery in the Canal Zone, for which $700,000 was appropriated last year, and increase the appropriation of $50,000 for fire control stations at Panama to $383,301.

Among the plans for fortifications of the insular possessions, as contemplated, are maintenance of seacoast artillery, $46,000, in addition to $300,000 for the same purpose on the continent; ammunition for seacoast cannon, $400,000; land defenses and sea wall construction in Hawaii, $170,000, and small items for fortification repair work in the Philippines.



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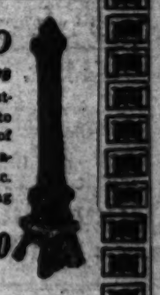

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HIGGINS FOUND GUILTY OF ELECTION FRAUDS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OAKLAND, Dec. 7.—James Higgins, a judge of election in the Thirtieth Precinct at the primary election of August 25, was found guilty here tonight of falsifying public records.

The jury deliberated ten minutes. When word was sent that it was ready to report, search disclosed that Judge F. B. Ogden, presiding, had gone to a lodge meeting. Efforts to reach him were fruitless until the police took a hand.

Monday was set for the sentencing of Higgins, who may be sent to the penitentiary for from one to fourteen years. H. C. Wiles, convicted of the same crime, received a two-year sentence November 24.

Two men remain to be tried.

New Warfare.

GERMANS USE RAFTS BUT ARE DRIVEN BACK.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 8, 2:55 a.m.—Telegraphing from Dunkirk, the Daily Chronicle's correspondent says:

"The Germans early Monday morning made another attack on the Belgian lines at Ramscapelle. They came in numerous rafts which were armed by machine guns and towed by three powerful motor boats.

"As soon as the Belgian outposts opened fire, the motor boats flashed blinding searchlights on them and opened a murderous machine gun fire. The Germans reached the shore and were preparing to land when the Belgians brought up a searchlight, enabling the Belgian and French artillery, stationed some distance in the rear, to shell the rafts accurately.

"The weight of the allies' heavier artillery soon began to tell, and the Germans were driven back. Several of these rafts capsized. Belgian troops advanced shoulder deep in the water, fighting the panic-stricken Germans, many of whom surrendered. The others retired."

Consular Report.

STARVING IN JERUSALEM; PITIFUL CRY FOR AID.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The following report from the American Consul at Jerusalem, dated November 24, was forwarded today by the Ambassador:

"Need of provisions very pressing. Many suffer therefrom. Is it possible to ask help from America to send a ship full of all sorts of provisions direct to Jaffa for distribution among needy people without distinction of religious nationality."

It was further reported that great numbers of unfortunate refugees in Jalicia and Poland are facing winter with little or no aid.

ALL-AMERICAN HOSPITAL.

Citizens of the United States Now in Petrograd Finance One Containing Twenty Beds.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

PETROGRAD, Nov. 12.—A fully equipped hospital with twenty beds for the exclusive use of Russian wounded has been established in Petrograd by members of the American colony in this capital. No contributions have been solicited or accepted from others than Americans. One prominent member of the little colony, consisting normally of some sixty persons, donated the quarters—a converted automobile garage, and provided the beds, linen and pajamas for patients and numerous other necessaries. The others almost to a man have bound themselves to pay sums aggregating $1500 monthly for the running expenses of the institution.

The movement started early in October. A few of the leading spirits, in the name of humanity and to show appreciation of the friendly spirit evinced by Russians towards American residents in the country, called the members of the colony together at the American Consulate and proposed the foundation of a hospital.

The idea met with favor, and before adjournment enough progress had been made to guarantee the success of the movement. November 1 saw the beds installed, nurses engaged and everything in readiness for the reception of the first patients. The women of the colony plunged actively into the work of getting subscriptions and rendered valuable aid in other directions.

The Russian authorities when advised of the action of the Americans expressed satisfaction and accepted the offer. To make the project conform with Russian projects, the hospital was placed under supervision of the capital's board of health. The name adopted was the City Hospital of the American Colony.

BY THE BELGIAN MINISTER.

He Denies Statements Attributed to Germany That His People Had Bartered Their Neutrality.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The Belgian Legation today made public the following statement:

"The Belgian Minister, whose country in the hour of her great affliction has received such precious help from the American people, begs that the following statement may be made known to them.

"In a recent speech made by the German Chancellor to the representatives of the German people, he lays the blame for the invasion of Belgium with all its terrible consequences on Belgium herself. And as a proof of this astonishing accusation he claims that documents have been found in Brussels establishing that Belgium had surrendered her neutrality to England.

"The Belgian government has requested that these alleged documents should be published in full, thus proving the falsity of such a charge. Three months have elapsed since the alleged discovery, but nothing has appeared.

"In case these documents are published it will be seen that they do not constitute an agreement between Belgium and England against Germany as the German Chancellor claims them to be. They are possibly a military plan drawn between the British military attache and the Belgian staff to be effective in case Germany should violate Belgian neutrality, which she effectively did in August last.

"It would indeed be humorous, should the matter not be too serious for such a term, that the German government should call a breach of neutrality this alleged plan which, if it existed, had for its object to fortify Belgium's neutrality against a possible aggressor. Events have shown too clearly, alas, how much such a precaution against Germany's projects would have been timely."

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JOSHUA B. WEBSTER.

For Years Prominent in California Politics and Law Passes Away at His Stockton Home.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

STOCKTON, Dec. 7.—Joshua B. Webster of this city and for years a United States Commissioner, died tonight following an attack of heart failure, which confined him to his room a week ago. Commissioner Webster was 76 years of age and came to California in the early fifties. In 1856 he was a member of the San Francisco vigilantes. In 1882 he was admitted to practice law and enjoyed wide distinction by reason of his intimacy with patent laws.

Arthur Speir Sheppard.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—News of the death at Batopilas, Mex., of Arthur Speir Sheppard, former owner of the Denver World and a member of the Santo Domingo commission under President Grant, was received here today in private advices.

Meyer Ruef.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—Meyer Ruef, father of Abraham Ruef, onetime political boss of San Francisco, died here last night at the age of 79. His daughter, Mrs. Henrietta Sittenfeld, said his health had failed steadily since the State Board of Prison Directors last refused to entertain his son's application for parole from San Quentin Prison, where Abraham Ruef is serving a sentence of fourteen years, imposed after his conviction of bribery.

DYNAMITE CASE ON TRIAL.

Butte Man Is Accused of Stealing Explosive to Blow Up Miners' Union Hall.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BOZEMAN (Mont.) Dec. 7.—Lazar Tomich, one of four men charged with stealing dynamite from the West Stewart mine, June 23, last, to be used in dynamiting the Miners' Union Hall at Butte, was placed on trial here today after the defendants, Lazar and John Tomich, P. T. Moriarity and Mike Milir, had demanded and were granted separate trials.

Peter Breen, an attorney of Butte, first witness for the State, testified he heard the defendant, Lazar Tomich, call for volunteers in the crowd in front of the Miners' Hall to go to the mine and get powder. "All of you don't go to get powder," Breen testified Tomich shouted, "but some stay here and hold them in the hall till we get the powder and blow them up."

Breen also stated he saw Tomich empty his revolver in the direction of the union hall.

Other witnesses, employees of the West Stewart mine, testified that Tomich went there in company with others on the night of June 23 and demanded powder, threatening the men with death unless they got it.

Tomich's defense was an alibi to the effect that he either was playing dominoes or sleeping at the time he was said to have been engaged in stealing dynamite. In this he was corroborated by John Stpich, Mrs. Stpich and three other witnesses. Stpich testified that Tomich reached the Stpich dwelling at 1 o'clock on the night in question, and went to bed an hour later after playing dominoes.

Taking of testimony on both sides was completed today and the case is expected to go to the jury tomorrow.

FRENCH REVERSES IN MOROCCO.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

MADRID, Nov. 16.—The correspondent at Tangier of the Imparcial sends news of a severe French reverse in Morocco. A French column of considerable strength, returning to Kenifra after a punitive expedition against the Zaian tribesmen was ambushed by a force of 6000 Zaians and almost wiped out. The French losses are placed at thirty-three officers and 600 men killed, besides a number of wounded and prisoners. Two French batteries fell into the hands of the tribesmen.

Troops have been hurried out from Fez, Tadla and other garrison towns against the Moors. The Zaians are regarded as the most formidable tribe in the Atlas region. Their available fighting force includes about 15,000 horsemen.

Grafters Alarmed.

(Continued From First Page.)

same official relationship to yourself as your Commissioner Weinstock held in San Diego matters some time ago. Upon Mr. Heney's report to you, your action and the action of the people of this county could safely be predicated."

But the committee quickly discovered that between Gov. Johnson and Frank Heney—pothouse companions in Chicago two years ago—there now extends a region of ice as wide as the Arctic zone. The Governor would select his own commissioner, who would not be Frank Heney. As the committee was seeking an investigation and not a calcimining outfit, this offer was politely but frigidly declined.

GOING RIGHT AHEAD.

Now the Citizens' Committee has filed articles of incorporation, is raising funds by popular subscription and announces that it will continue its investigations until the grafters are thoroughly exposed and the graft eliminated. It is the announced intent of the committee to employ Heney as special investigator.

Meantime the election fraud cases are on trial. Edward C. Wyles, one of the small fry of the "Progressive" shoal, has been convicted and sentenced to three years in prison. The Oakland gang point with pride to the fact that Wyles took his medicine without peaching.

Jim Higgins is now in the dock; but Higgins is of a different caliber. He is a henchman of Jack Woolley and Grant Gorman, who in turn are right and left bowers for Kelly. The District Attorney has made a feature of asking Attorney McDonough whether Jack Woolley and Grant Gorman gave him the $10,000 that is up as cash bail for Higgins. Woolley was named by Heney as one running a gambling-house in connection with his saloon, and under the protection of the police.

Higgins is reported to have said to members of the Kelly "Progressive" gang that he worked under orders and was not working for his health. If they get him off clear, well and good; but if he gets a prison sentence—well, it might be worth one's while to expose the true nature of the deal.

There is a feeling in the Citizens' Committee that the District Attorney is rushing these cases through before a thorough investigation can be had. It is intimated that the prosecution is actuated by a desire to protect rather than to expose those who instigated the fraudulent registration and voting.

THE SCOPE.

Included in the scope of investigation of the Citizens' Committee is the letting of contracts for State and municipal improvements in Oakland and Alameda county involving more than $15,000,000. Allegations are made that there was collusion in bidding and that the construction work on the municipal buildings and on the water front was not in accordance with the terms of the contracts. The city of Oakland has gone forward with a rush since the San Francisco fire. Her growth has been wonderful and business has been so good that the citizens have not stopped until the present time to take stock and discover what a squadron of grafters, political and mercenary, they are carrying with them.

Citizens of the entire bay region are taking an interest in the Oakland graft developments. Many of them remember how strong the Oakland press was for the San Francisco investigations, and they express surprise that the press of Oakland should protest when her turn comes. The rejection of Heney's proffered services has created a division among the "Progressives" themselves, including a part of their pampered press. Even the San Francisco Bulletin, representative of the "Progressive" press rampant, has come out in denunciation of the methods of the Kelly gang in Oakland. In last Thursday's issue the Bulletin gives the main details of the Enquirer municipal printing graft and concludes with this significant paragraph:

"What wonder that the Enquirer froths at the mouth at the mere suggestion that there is graft in Oakland!"

In fact, there is a general movement among "Progressives" not "roped and hog-tied" by the Johnson-Kelly machine to stand from under.

JOHNSON REFUSES TO APPOINT HENEY.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

OAKLAND, Dec. 7.—Gov. Johnson denied today the request of the Citizens' Committee of one hundred that he appoint Francis J. Heney a special deputy of the Attorney-General to investigate alleged graft in Alameda county. It was not within his powers, he informed them, to do so.

Should the judges of the Superior Court of Alameda county, wrote the Governor, or the District Attorney request the services of the Attorney-General, or should the occasion arise, he would send the Attorney-General into the county. This was his only legal power in the matter.

No complaint had been made by the committee of one hundred or others that the District Attorney was not doing his full duty in conjunction with the grand jury. The people of the county had just showed their confidence in him by re-electing him. In short, there was nothing for the Governor to act on.

MISS COPE'S DESCRIPTION.

Is Sent to Police at Delaware Water Gap—Woman Denies Intent to Commit Bribery.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—A description of Miss Jessie E. Cope of Los Angeles, Cal., held on bribery charges in connection with the prosecution of Col. Charles Alexander of Providence, R. I., under the Mann Act, was furnished the Chicago police to be sent to Delaware Water Gap, Pa., in response to a police request.

A telegram from the Pennsylvania city asked whether Miss Jessie Cope had ever been known as Ula Stroud Cope and requested a complete description of the young woman.

Miss Cope emphatically denied that she was "Ula Stroud Cope," and insisted that she had never been in Delaware Water Gap.

That she had any intent of bribery when she signed papers in the office of the District Attorney was again denied by Miss Cope, who was charged Saturday with having attempted to bribe Federal officials and with having written out an agreement to divide $50,000 with them if the money, through their help, could be obtained from Col. Alexander.

THE ROCK ISLAND CASE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Supreme Court Justice Pendleton today denied the application of Horace L. Brand of Chicago for the appointment of a temporary receiver of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Company to intervene in the foreclosure proceedings against the railroad now pending in the Federal courts. Justice Pendleton asserted that Brand and other bond holders are in as good position as individuals to intervene in the foreclosure suit as a receiver would be.

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[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, Dec. 7.—After partaking of a beach luncheon given by Dr. O. H. L. Mason this afternoon some of the guests became ill, and one, Dr. George W. Jordan, collapsed and was taken to his home in the ambulance of J. J. Mottell, undertaker.

A physician who was called was unable to diagnose the doctor's malady, and an analysis of the food discarded from the table after the feast may be made.

The others who felt ill after the luncheon, it is stated tonight, soon recovered. Dr. Jordan is a neuropath and was haled before a local court a few weeks ago on the charge of practicing medicine without a license.

L. B. Palmer, a member of Dr. Mason's congregation, who assisted the pastor in the spread, stated that as far as he knew only Dr. Jordan suffered after the meal, and that the neuropath might have been seized with a malady foreign to anything in Dr. Mason's food.

He stated that Dr. Jordan was an attendant at the Calvary Presbyterian Church, but not a member of the church.

NATIONAL GUARD HOME.

Plans have been prepared by Architect W. H. Austin for the erection on a lot owned by B. J. Petsel at the northeast corner of Pine avenue and Seventh street of a two-story brick armory for the local contingent of the California National Guard, Co. H. The entire structure will be given over to the uses of the company, and the equipment will be of the best. Petsel will furnish the bonds necessary for the building of the armory.

Credit for the project is given Capt. Dave Borden of the company, more than to anyone else. Co. H, strong numerically, mentally and in a military way, has never had a building adequate for the purposes of the boys in khaki who keep peace in the State. The building will cover a space of 50x80 feet, and the entire lower floor will be used as a drill hall. On the second floor there will be offices, lockerrooms, library and social-room. The plans will be forwarded to Sacramento for the approval of Adjt.-Gen. E. A. Forbes.

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK BY GERMANS.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE.]

VALPARAISO (Chile) Dec. 7.—The British steamer Charcas from New York, October 1, has been sunk at sea off Port Corral, Chile, by the German transport Prinz Eitel Friedrich. The crew of the Charcas has been landed at Papudo, forty-five miles north of Valparaiso.

SWEDISH STEAMERS SUNK.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 7.—A dispatch from Stockholm states that the Swedish steamers Luna and Everilda struck mines off the Finnish coast and that both steamers sank. The crew of the Luna was saved, but all seamen aboard the Everilda, except one man, were lost.

POPE URGES TRUCE DURING HOLIDAYS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROME, Dec. 7, 8:20 p.m.—Pope Benedict is urging that an understanding be arranged between the warring factions under which a truce will be possible during the Christmas holidays. It is said, however, that His Holiness has little hope for the success of his efforts.

TEN MEN KILLED BY TAUBE BOMB.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 8, 2:4f a.m.—A correspondent of the Central News in Northwestern France says:

"In attempting to destroy a railroad station, a Taube aeroplane dropped two bombs on Hazebrouck. The first did no harm, but on returning the aeroplane dropped a bomb on a curious crowd gathered about a hole made by the first missile, killing ten and wounding five civilians, including women and children."

TURKS VICTORS OVER RUSSIANS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

CONSTANTINOPLE (via London) Dec. 7.—An official statement issued today says:

"Near Adjara we have gained new successes over the Russians, capturing cannon and ammunition.

"The Russian attacks east of Lake Van (Kurdistan) have been unsuccessful. Our troops advancing from Revandus have occupied Soufoulak, an important Russian point of support in the province of Azerbaijan."

A QUESTION OF BANKING.

Terms of Admitting State Institutions Into the Federal Reserve System are to be Formulated.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Discussions of conditions to be imposed on State banks and trust companies entering the Federal reserve system will be taken up here tomorrow at a conference between members of the Federal Reserve Board and bankers.

The board has considered regulations for the admission of State banks at various times since the reserve banks were opened, three weeks ago, but had reached no conclusion tonight. It is still in doubt as to the limitations to be put on real estate loans by such institutions. At the conference tomorrow this point will be discussed in some detail.

NEEDS OF THE MARINE CORPS.

Maj.-Gen. Barnett Tells the House Committee What Should be Done for Improvement of Service.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Maj.-Gen. Barnett, commandant of the Marine Corps, told the House Naval Committee today of the needs of his branch of the service. He said the corps was adequately equipped with machine guns and field artillery for times of peace, but would need more to be put on a war basis.

Tomorrow Read-Admirals Badger and Fletcher will be before the committee and Wednesday Secretary Daniels is expected to appear. The committee is framing the naval appropriation bill for the coming year.

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RAY OF HOPE LOST.

Citizens and Soldiers at Naco, Fail to Agree on Plan to Enforce Peace on the Border.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NACO (Ariz.) Dec. 7.—Two rays of hope for some protection from the Mexican fire, which has killed and wounded forty-nine persons on the American side here during the siege of Naco, Sonora, lighted the gloom of Naco today. They were a request from the military commander for suggestions for better protection and an indication that the State Department would take action.

The ray of hope from the military source, however, was extinguished at a mass meeting tonight called to formulate a reply. The citizens voted to ignore the request for suggestions on protective methods because the military request said criticisms of the administration or hostile methods were not desired. Instead the meeting decided to renew the appeal to the State Department for action.

Two more soldiers of the border patrol were hit by the Mexican stray fire late last night and tonight, making a total of forty-nine, seventeen of whom were American soldiers. The two additions to the list are Sergt. Charles E. Smart, shot in the foot late last night, and Private Patterson of the machine gun platoon, shot in the leg tonight, both of the Tenth United States Cavalry.

For two months the fire from the siege, in which Mayterena's Villa troops are attacking the entrenched Carranza forces in Naco under Gen. Hill, has caused the citizens to appeal to the State and government for protection. Gov. George W. P. Hunt made two requests of the State Department for aid, and last night a citizens' committee appealed to Arizona's two United States Senators Henry F. Ashurst and Marcus A. Smith, and to Senators Fall of New Mexico and Smith of Michigan for legislation closing the border ports.

Senator Ashurst replied today saying he believed the requested action would be taken.

The request for suggestions came from Col. John F. Guilfoyle of the Ninth United States Cavalry, commanding the border patrol. It concludes, with a statement that criticism of the administration or hostile methods of protection are not desired.

In answering this circular letter Coroner E. A. Folsom, whose appeal to Gov. Hunt, in which he refused to summon juries for inquests over those killed because of the danger, was relayed to Secretary Bryan by the Governor Saturday, wrote: "I beg to state that I know of absolutely no protection to citizens by either Sheriff Wheeler or the military authorities. Without criticism of the administration and without hostile action there is no hope of protection for the people of Naco."

Coroner Folsom's suggestion to the Governor was that it would be no more an act of warfare to the Americans to fire across the line and so drive away the Mexicans than it is for the Mexicans to fire across the line into Naco.

VILLA AND ZAPATA MEET.

Both Leaders Agree to Drive Carranza Out and Then Retire to Private Life.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 4 (via El Paso, Tex., Dec. 7.)—Gens. Villa and Zapata met today at Xochimilco and after a conference announced publicly that they would work together and that each would retire to private life when their work was accomplished. George C. Carothers, special representative of the Washington State Department, attached to Gen. Villa's headquarters, and several of Villa's officers previously had conferred with Zapata in an effort to persuade him to come to the capital. A serious hitch evidently had occurred. Zapata was organizing his forces at Cuernavaca, where the Villa delegation met him.

After the conference today Gen. Villa said that his forces would begin immediately a vigorous campaign against Carranza. The forces of Villa and Zapata will enter Mexico City tomorrow. Leon Canova, representing the United States, attended the conference today and was given an official statement by the two leaders. Gen. Villa requested the newspapers to say that he congratulated Gen. Scott on his appointment as Chief-of-Staff of the United States Army.

Gen. Villa said: "Gen. Scott is a great soldier and is my warm friend."

An active campaign will begin within a week by both the Villa and Zapata forces, according to the statements of a high official of the present government. The plan calls for the sending of four strong columns to attack the followers of Carranza. The first expedition will consist of 12,000 men, who will leave within the coming week, their objective point being Vera Cruz. In line with this plan Villa today took over the railway of an English corporation, running between the capital and Vera Cruz. The second column of 15,000 men soon afterwards will be sent toward Guadalajara, their ultimate destination being the west coast. Another will be sent to Tampico and the fourth to Saltillo. The south will be taken care of by the Zapata troops, who already are besieging the city of Puebla.

The civil and military convention will meet next week in the capital to approve these plans and to appoint new provisional officials. It is reported that a new provisional President will be elected on this occasion.

RUNNING SHORT OF FOOD.

Interior Mexican Camps Further Threatened by Destruction of Railroad Bridges by Villa Forces.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DOUGLAS (Ariz.) Dec. 7.—Shortage of fuel and supplies in the interior camps is said to be threatened by the reported action of Gov. Maytorena, the Villa commander, in stopping the repairing of the Nasocari railroad bridges on the line running south from Agua Prieta.

The reports here say that the repairs were stopped after five of the bridges recently burned were cribbed, under threat of the destruction of more bridges.

The Nasocari mining camp, which employs several thousand men, is said to have only two weeks' supplies on hand. Nasocari, El Tigre and other camps are dependent upon the line involved for their supplies.

ANTI-IMPERIALISM AGAIN.

European War Has Not Advanced the Cause of Kings in this Country Moorfield Storey Says.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BOSTON, Dec. 7.—The European war has done much to make us a nation of anti-imperialists, said Moorfield Storey, president of the Anti-Imperial League, at its sixteenth annual meeting today. He urged complete freedom for the Filipinos and commended the present administration in the islands.

Manuel L. Quezon, commissioner from the Philippines, said that the Jones Philippine bill, while not altogether satisfactory to the people of the islands, was a distinct step forward and should be enacted.

A REVELATION ABOUT VERA CRUZ.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

MANCHESTER (N. H.) Dec. 7.—Speaking at a reception to Governor-elect Roland H. Spaulding tonight, Senator William A. Smith of Michigan declared that when the American troops evacuated Vera Cruz they did so because Gen. Carranza had given President Wilson twenty-four hours to get out. He characterized the removal of the American forces as "weak yielding to the demands of Carranza." He added that the United States forces left with conditions much worse than when they first occupied the Mexican port.

Good News.

TWO CHIEFS IN CONFERENCE.

WASHINGTON INTERESTED IN ZAPATA-VILLA MEETING.

State Department's Agent Announces All Matters will be Satisfactorily Arranged by the Leaders and that the Peace of Mexico City will be Preserved.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Officials here were much interested today in press dispatches stating that Gen. Villa and Gen. Zapata had met in a suburb of Mexico City and had reached a working agreement which would mean the maintenance of order in and around Mexico City. The official advices telling of the meeting had not reached here, but the State Department gave out the summary of a dispatch which was filed before the two chiefs conferred. It was as follows:

"According to an official dispatch from Mexico City, December 4, Special Agent Carothers accompanied the envoys of Gen. Villa to Cuernavaca, where they went to confer with Gen. Zapata. The delegation was very courteously received by Zapata and was successful in convincing him that he and Villa should at once meet and come to an understanding. It was arranged that Zapata should come to Mexico City for a conference. Zapata has stated that he desires complete harmony, and both he and Villa have assured the department's representative that they will undoubtedly arrange all matters in a satisfactory manner."

The State Department also made public the following information about conditions in Mexico:

"The Spanish Vice-Consul at Masatlan, who has had certain difficulties with the local authorities and concerning whom representations have been made by the Spanish Embassy in Washington, is en route to San Francisco on a Pacific Mail steamer.

"It is reported that Gen. Eduardo Hay has arrived in Monclova from Saltillo and that he is seeking to persuade certain officials to remain loyal to Carranza.

"It is reported from Vera Cruz, under date of December 5, that fifteen bandits robbed six Americans on a ranch. After being robbed the victims walked six miles to El Burro station, 114 miles south of Vera Cruz. The Constitutionalists furnished them transportation to Vera Cruz.

"With reference to the case of the bishop of Tepic and his four priests, the department is informed that Bishop Segura was released by the local authorities on October 14. Three of the priests left for the United States on that date, and the fourth departed on December 1 on the steamship San Jose for San Francisco."

TIA JUANA PEACEFUL.

More Troops Arrive from Ensenada and Join the Town's Garrison Under Gen. Mendietta.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 7.—Tia Juana is peaceful tonight and will be so at least until the arrival of the Peace Commission from Sonora, due there tomorrow. This evening at 5 o'clock, after another conference, the oft-promised exchange of prisoners was made by Col. Mendietta of the troops holding Tia Juana and Col. Santa Cruz, commander of the Aviles troops. The prisoners whom Aviles had seized at Ensenada as they landed from Guaymas, brought to Tia Juana and held prisoners, were Col. Cervantes, Maj. Barvanca, Capt. Jose Etoderro and Dr. Hipolitya Jauregui. Lieut. Rafael Guerro, held by Col. Mendietta and two soldiers, were returned to the Aviles camp. Guerro was the customs collector at Mexicali, recently appointed by Aviles.

Late this evening 200 troops arrived from Ensenada and joined the troops of the garrison at Tia Juana under Mendietta.

Gen. Aviles spent the day in San Diego, apparently unconcerned about the affairs at Tia Juana, and this evening visited various cafes of the city. Gen. Cantu's troops, which arrived to reinforce Mendietta, also are near Tia Juana.

Gov. Aviles said that he thought all would be settled peacefully.

SOCKS ON THEIR HANDS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Capital society's latest activity—knitting garments for stricken Belgians—appeared today in the halls of Congress. While the galleries were filling up today before the session opened, several young women "brought their knitting" and plied their needles vigorously on mufflers

Another!

VILLA ASSEMBLES FORCE TO CRUSH SALA

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Dec. 7.—Gen. Ornelas, the Villa commander at Juarez, announced today that a strong force of Villa soldiers soon would be sent against the troops of Gen. Ynes Salazar, the former Federal leader, who has started a new revolution in Central Chihuahua.

Reports from the eastern border said that Salazar forces were crossing in small groups between Presidio, Tex., and El Paso. Salazar, who escaped recently from an American jail, entered Mexico near Columbus, N. M.

His troops were reported as awaiting ammunition before attacking either Casas Grandes, strategical point of Western Chihuahua, or Palomas, the port of entry opposite Columbus.

The Villa garrisons in Northern Mexico have been so depleted by the movement to Mexico City of the convention forces that they can give little resistance to the Salazar movement without garrisons.

The Villa [illegible] silent regarding [illegible] ico City. From [illegible] came an offici[illegible] Cruz, which said [illegible] "Gen. Cen[illegible] defeated the [illegible] Martin, Rincon [illegible] and captured [illegible] rifles and 6700 [illegible] Villa have [illegible] the capital. A [illegible] streets of Mexico [illegible] and Villa have [illegible] proclamations [illegible] other and of [illegible] The above [illegible] graphed to Gen. [illegible] who came [illegible]

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Political.

WHAT HAPPENED LAST NOVEMBER.

The Final Returns of the Election in California.

Los Angeles Building Bonds Failed of Approval.

Full List of Amendments that Were Adopted.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 7.—Los Angeles building bonds were beaten at the election November 3, according to complete totals on all the measures as compiled at the Secretary of State's office.

The following amendments were carried:

1—Abatement of nuisances.
2—Investment companies' act.
3—Water commission act.
4—Exempting vessels from taxation.
5—Abolition of poll tax.
6—University of California building fund act.
7—Exposition contribution of Alameda county.
8—Consolidation of city and county and limited annexation of contiguous territory.
9—Prohibiting prize fights.
10—Land title law.
11—Adoption and amendment of county charters.
12—Legislative control of irrigation, reclamation and drainage districts.
13—County charters.
14—Regulation of public utilities.
15—Incorporation of municipalities.
16—Irrigation districts controlling municipal water systems.
17—Valuation of condemned public utilities by Railroad Commission.
18—Election of United States Senators.
19—Taxation of public property.
20—Sacramento State building fund.
21—San Francisco State building fund.
22—Suspension of prohibition amendment.
23—Miscarriage of justice.
24—Place of payment of bonds and interest.
25—Exempting educational institutions from taxation.
26—Minimum wage.
27—San Francisco harbor improvement.

DEFEATED.

The following amendments were defeated:

1—Calling convention for revision of constitution.
2—Prohibition.
3—Eight-hour law.
4—Local taxation exemption.
5—Regulating investment companies.
6—Constitutional conventions.
7—Qualification of voters at bond elections.
8—Voting by absent electors.
9—Deposit of public moneys.
10—Condemnation for public purposes.
11—Sale of game.
12—City and county consolidation and annexation with consent of annexed territory.
13—Elections by plurality preferential and primary.
14—Assembly pay-roll expenses.
15—Public utilities in municipalities.
16—San Fernando Fair Grounds bonds.
17—Los Angeles State building fund.
18—Extra sessions of District Courts
19—Seventh day of rest in seven.
20—Osteopathic practice.
21—Prohibiting prohibition elections.

THE VOTE.

As follows:

	Yes.	Against.
.....	180,111	442,687
.....	365,536	524,781
.....	242,692	568,881
.....	402,629	353,821
.....	348,805	289,084
.....	309,950	301,817
.....	267,618	276,934
.....	359,176	301,969
.....	249,500	353,812
.....	405,375	374,487
.....	413,030	239,332
.....	271,896	374,325
.....	313,193	327,951
.....	344,565	290,327
.....	236,573	324,558
.....	259,192	307,155
.....	290,635	302,128
.....	353,295	261,446
.....	293,901	287,185
.....	413,741	227,569
.....	348,113	218,224
.....	359,757	224,846
.....	240,600	294,265
.....	87,215	294,272
.....	255,338	226,679
.....	235,047	216,665
.....	261,219	225,530
.....	291,665	260,589
.....	254,757	214,312
.....	249,634	185,168
.....	291,836	244,379
.....	404,243	190,869
.....	321,724	278,129
.....	244,433	216,613
.....	294,938	267,717
.....	300,028	257,119
.....	259,731	201,764
.....	255,796	320,502
.....	448,648	226,688
.....	302,674	222,891
.....	378,237	182,079
.....	306,196	306,479
.....	321,549	232,721
.....	379,311	295,109
.....	290,619	467,590
.....	238,217	462,855
.....	855,594	435,701
.....	408,653	267,589

...IS BACK.

...by Bruce Band and Forth-...Withdraws His Candidacy for ...of San Francisco.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

...FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—Eugene ..., three times Mayor of San ..., who was removed from office ..., 1907, while San Francisco's ... was in progress, returned ... from New York tonight and announced that he will be a candidate for a fourth term as ... 1915.

...ed by a large crowd and a ...ty greeted Schmitz on his ... There was cheering and ...ed a brief talk in which ...ed:

...am going to be a candidate for ... because of any zeal for the ... but because my friends have ...ed me that the people want ...

...ople of Malines, Belgium, ...

New York Isolated.

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emergency carriers working through Washington on the south and Boston on the north.

The news from the storm zone late tonight brought no encouragement. Pittsburgh reported that "the sleet was coming west" and that communications farther east in Pennsylvania were becoming practically impossible. About midnight the rain, which has been falling intermittently for hours in the lake regions, began to turn into sleet and snow, with rapidly falling temperature.

A RECORD TIDE IN NEW YORK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Huge seas, backed by a mighty tide and a howling northeast gale, battered the coasts of New York today, smashing houses, wrecking boats, flooding villages, devastating summer resorts and forcing trans-Atlantic and coastwise steamers to remain outside Sandy Hook and fight the storm.

At Sandy Hook the wind attained a velocity of sixty-eight miles an hour, driving in a record-breaking tide and making it impossible for pilots to board incoming vessels. In New York harbor the tide was the highest in thirteen years, and the waves drove the New Jersey ferryboats to cover and strewed the shore of Staten Island with the wrecks of scores of small craft. In New York City the wind blew at forty-eight miles an hour—diminishing to twenty-six miles tonight, with a forecast of a shift in the gale, attended by more rain or snow.

The worst damage in this vicinity was suffered at Coney Island, where the loss within the past twenty-four hours is estimated at $200,000. Two or three fine houses at Sea Gate were wrecked despite the fight of a small army of workmen to build defenses with hundreds of sand bags. The waves threw them aside and rolled in and tore the houses apart. Fifteen buildings along Coney Island had been damaged tonight, including big bathing pavilions and summer cottages.

At Brighton Beach the board walk was demolished and the waves surged around the Brighton Beach Hotel and wrecked several small buildings near it.

Waves broke more than twenty-five feet over the high-tide line at Rockaway Beach, causing heavy damages to bungalows, baths and the board walk. At Seaside eight bungalows were carried away. Two hotels at Arverne were damaged, while Point Lookout at Long Beach was inundated and partly washed away, and the wind was blowing fifty miles an hour tonight.

Over on the Jersey side heavy rain and high wind continued tonight. At Sandy Hook enormous seas were breaking over the north and east shores. Outside the Hook the Russian liner Dwinsk, from Newcastle via Halifax, lay anchored. The steamer St. Louis from Savannah, was fifteen miles off the Scotland lightship and had suffered deck damage and smashed windows. The Francisco of the Wilson line and several other vessels also lay out on the rollers of the Atlantic, waiting for a moderation of the gale before daring to try to reach port.

For hours this afternoon commuters between New York and New Jersey had to travel through the Hudson River tubes, as the ferries could not make their trips.

Wire communication between New York and Pennsylvania points was badly hampered tonight, the worst conditions existing between New York and Pittsburgh. Allentown, Pa., was reported almost isolated. Connections with Connecticut points also were crippled.

SIXTY-MILE GALE ALONG THE COAST.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SEABRIGHT (N. J.) Dec. 7.—Driven by a sixty-mile gale from the northeast which had blown steadily for nearly thirty-six hours, the waters of the Atlantic tonight were pounding along the Jersey coast. At Seabright at 11 a.m. today the water broke over the bulkheads erected for protection after the storm of last Christmas.

Three cottages located on the beach had been washed away early tonight and residents of all others had moved out. It was feared that other houses might go at the next tide. The building of the Seabright Beach Club, erected last year at a cost of about $50,000, was undermined and is expected to collapse. The damage here thus far is estimated at $70,000. Lifesavers were keeping a careful watch along the coast.

A DOUBLE RESCUE AT POINT JUDITH.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

POINT JUDITH (R. I.) Dec. 7.—A double rescue was enacted in a seventy-two-mile northeast gale today when the crew of the Point Judith life-saving station, who had snatched two shipwrecked men from death on the Point Judith breakwater, were in turn rescued by the torpedo boat destroyer Morris.

In trying to make the harbor of refuge inside of the breakwater, a little oyster boat brought up on the end of the wall and quickly went to pieces.

After a terrific struggle the surf boat of the life-savers reached the men and got them aboard. Exhausted by their efforts the crew was unable to force the boat through the heavy seas to shore and all were saved by the destroyer Morris, which by skillful seamenship, dropped alongside the helpless surfboat.

UNABATED FURY OF EASTERN STORM.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 7.—The northeast storm which has been blowing along the Atlantic Coast since last Saturday, continued tonight with unabated fury. In this city nearly three and a half inches of rain had fallen at midnight while the reports from Atlantic City, Ocean City, Wildwood, Cape May, Rehoboth and other seaside points told of heavy damage by the wind and the tide to ocean-front property.

Several fashionable suburban sections of this city were thrown into darkness tonight by the breaking of electric light wires. Ocean City, N. J., has been cut off from rail and trolley communication. The railroads leading to seashore points were kept busy repairing washed out road beds. Telegraph and telephone service to all points was badly crippled.

Shipping from this port was practically at a standstill.

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SAVES THE KANSAS FROM A DISASTER.

BATTLESHIP IN DANGER DURING THE STORM NOW INSIDE THE BREAKWATER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 7.—The warship which was believed to be in distress off Ocean City, Md., undoubtedly was the battleship Kansas.

Reports received at the Philadelphia navy yard tonight from Capt. Niblack, commander of the Kansas, which is lying inside the Delaware breakwater, state that he had been obliged to anchor off Ocean City yesterday to protect his vessel from the storm. No other vessel was in that vicinity so far as he knew.

The ship's propellers were being lifted out of the water by the heavy seas, Capt. Niblack stated, and were in danger of breaking or throwing the engines out of line. He reported that the Kansas was uninjured except for slight damage to several lifeboats, and the superstructure.

The Kansas is returning from a six months' cruise in Mexican waters.

Capt. Niblack reported tonight that he would remain at anchor inside the Delaware breakwater until the weather moderated, when the vessel will sail for the Philadelphia navy yard.

THE WORST STORM IN MANY A DAY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW HAVEN (Ct.) Dec. 7.—The worst wind and sleet storm that Connecticut has experienced since 1907 today almost paralyzed telephone and telegraph communication throughout the State. Some cities were completely cut off from communication and others were reached with difficulty. It will be five days before normal conditions will be restored, the telephone company estimates.

All shipping is at a standstill. Considerable damage is reported to summer cottages along the shore by unusually high seas.

SEASHORE RESORT ALL BUT RUINED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

REHOBOTH (Del.) Dec. 7.—The northeast storm which raged from Saturday night until tonight almost destroyed this seashore resort. The boardwalk was carried away from one end of the beach to the other together with all pavilions. Surf avenue, a thoroughfare that paralleled the ocean, was cut away by mountainous waves that swept over piling built to protect it. The electric light and water plants were wrecked and several cottages were swept to sea. There were no casualties, but the damage is estimated at $175,000.

Reports from Henlopen lighthouse, above here, tonight, were that it was in danger.

LINER CHEROKEE RIDES THE STORM.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WILMINGTON (N. C.) Dec. 7.—The Clyde liner Cherokee arrived here late today from New York, twenty-four hours overdue, after riding one of the worst Atlantic Coast storms of recent years. The ship lay off Winter Quarter a day and a night.

ATLANTIC CITY IS HIT HARD.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ATLANTIC CITY (N. J.) Dec. 7.—The storm which has raged along the coast for two days had abated here at midnight and the water, which covered the streets in some sections of the city to a depth of four feet, was slowly receding. Although the damage in the aggregate will be heavy, no one place suffered seriously. Fears still were entertained for the safety of the music pavilion at the ocean end of the steel pier. It was standing at a late hour tonight, but its supports were so badly damaged that it was feared they may give way.

Residents of the Inlet section were driven from their homes by the high water today, many of them leaving in rowboats, while the school children at one of the public schools were also removed in boats. One-third of Longport was under water a part of the day, and four houses there were completely wrecked.

Both Longport and Margate City were completely isolated by trolley from Atlantic City, while cars could not get within a mile of the inlet.

It was the highest water recorded in this city for twenty-four years.

STORM SWEEPS SUMMER RESORTS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NORFOLK (Va.) Dec. 7.—The heaviest storm that has swept the Virginia coast in recent years was abating tonight, leaving beaches strewn with debris. Summer resorts suffered heavy damages. At Oceanview a large part of the bulkhead was swept away and the breakwater at Buckroe Beach was partly wrecked. Many cottages were undermined.

Only minor damage thus far has been reported to shipping. Fears for the safety of the Merchants' and Miners' steamer Gloucester, Boston to Newport News, were dispelled tonight when the ship passed in the Virginia capes twelve hours late.

In Youngstown, Va., cattle were drowned and crops were washed away by high seas. In some places the water drove people from their homes.

MONEY FOR CALIFORNIA.

Congressional Appropriations Include Harbor Work and Extension of the Irrigation Systems.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 7.—The estimates submitted to Congress today by the Secretary of the Treasury for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1916, includes $75,000 for the maintenance of improvement by dredging in the inner and outer Los Angeles Harbor. Other estimates are: For purchase of land for Indians in California, $10,000; Sherman Indian School, Riverside, $113,125; irrigation allotments, Yuma reservation, $40,000; support of Indians in California, $47,000; improving Santa Barbara light station, $29,000; to establish light and fog signal at Anacapa Island, $103,000; reclamation projects, Salt River, $590,000; Yuma, $934,000; Orland, $97,000; Truckee-Carson, $286,000; support of Pacific branch for disabled volunteer soldiers at Santa Monica, $429,795.

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BUTTER MAN ARRESTED.

Head of Big New York House is Charged With Selling Oleomargarine Without Paying the Tax.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Fred D. Oetjen, head of the firm of Fred D. Oetjen & Co., one of the largest butter dealing houses in New York State, was arrested this afternoon on the charge of violating the Federal oleomargarine law by using oleo oil in the manufacture of ladled butter from packing stock.

Three employees of the firm also were arrested. Oetjen was released under bond of $15,000 and his employees were held for examination under a bond of $10,000 each.

The government charges that the sales of oleomargarine by Oetjen & Co. during the past two years aggregated $2,000,000 and that no tax was paid upon this business.

THE NOBEL PEACE PRIZE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Secretary Bryan sent to the Senate today a circular from the Nobel committee of the Norwegian parliament, saying that the nominations for the Nobel peace prize to be awarded in 1915 must be formally presented to the committee before February 15 of that year. The award will be made December 10, 1915.

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LANKERSHIM BLDG., 216 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby opposite elevator.)

LAUGHLIN BLDG., 212 S. BROADWAY. (Next to U. S. Mail Box.)

MARSH-STRONG BLDG., 257 S. SPRING AND MAIN. (In elevator shaft No. 4.)

MASON BLDG., FOURTH AND BROADWAY. (In lobby.)

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O. T. JOHNSON BLDG., FOURTH AND BROADWAY. (Near elevator in lobby.)

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REDUCTIONS—WE HAVE ON HAND A FEW OF Hamilton factory 14-grouse attachments, which are being discharged in connection with other goods valued at 75 cents each. The coupon below represents a classified advertising in THE TIMES, which, if presented at our store, will entitle the bearer to one of the foregoing pianists of the day. HIGH-CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

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PERSONAL—LADIES, ASK YOUR DRUGGIST FOR Chichester Pills, the Diamond Brand. For 25 years known as best, safest, always reliable. Take no other. Chichester Diamond Brand Pills are sold everywhere.

PERSONAL—FOR ALTHOUSE, NOTED ASTROLOGER and palmist. Chart from to Los Angeles. Latest methods; high grade of work. High-class patronage solicited. 326 S. BROADWAY.

PERSONAL—WANTED, THE ADDRESS OF F. L. Ferguson, formerly in the Weber Bakery Shop. Please give your address that I may call. This is important. Address J, box 32, TIMES OFFICE.

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PERSONAL—CORSETS MADE, ALTERED AND cleaned; reasonable. Hemstitching and hair goods. Mme. Lyons, 1547 W. 7th st.

PERSONAL — ELECTRIC VACUUM CLEANERS FOR rent, $1 daily; free delivery. SOUTH 5504, HOME 25191.

PERSONAL—
Business.

PERSONAL — FOR SALE CHEAP; 2 ELECTRICAL moving picture cabinets for displaying 3A10 photographic reproductions. Can be used for advertising purposes; cost $400 each. Address J, box 2, TIMES OFFICE.

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PERSONAL—
Business.

PERSONAL—DENTISTRY PLATES, $4. NATIONAL PAINLESS DENTISTS, southeast corner Third and Main.

PERSONAL—MME JOSEPH OF CHICAGO, PALMIST, 3d year; parlor, readings, 50c. 822 S. 15TH ST. Take Griffith ave. car.

PERSONAL—MME. ORA, PALMIST, PSYCHIC REST 50c readings in city. 245½ S. SPRING.

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PULVERIZED SHEEP FERTILIZER FOR LAWNS and flowers, GEORGE SCHORNICK, 118 N. Mott. 41536; Boyle 1025.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

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WANTED—ACTIVE SALESMEN ON A VERY CHOICE acreage subdivision, where your earnings are limited only by your own activity. If you will work as hard for yourself as you would for another for wages, you can make big money with us.
MORRISON & RIEMANN, Sales, Managers,
718 Trust & Savings Bldg.,
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WANTED—COLLECTOR, 25 TO 35 YEARS OLD, must have had experience collecting for some installment house, and also able to furnish a written recommendation from last employer. Must have wheel or motorcycle. Salary $15 a week to start. Apply before 9 this morning. CALIFORNIA AUDIT AND ADJUSTMENT CO., 606 Ferguson Bldg.

WANTED—LIVE MAN TO SHOW PROPERTY. FREE. Gives experience; you can make $1000 to $2000 per month; good chance for a saver, steady man to become permanently identified with a large company. Call at once, 200-207 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG., corner spring and Fourth.

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WANTED—TWO INTELLIGENT MEN TO REPRESENT prominent national bank and present new plan for securing savings accounts. Nothing to sell. Men with experience in selling insurance, stocks and bonds preferred. Call between 10 to 12 and 2 to 3 per day. Permanent work. Call between 11:30 and 12:30. 1402 BAKER-DETWILER BLDG.

WANTED—FIVE WIDE-AWAKE MEN WHO ARE not afraid to work on commission distributing real estate literature. Steady work.
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Corner 58th and Main sts.

WANTED—MAN OR WOMAN, WHO CAN DESIGN A few dresses, to be made from cloth and studied. Steady employment as foreman in factory to party who can do this right, and direct others. Call at 225 SECURITY BLDG., between 10 and 12 a.m. Mr. Nickerson. Phone A5469, Main 1062.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALESMAN FOR THE dinnerware department. Must understand china and glassware lines. Come well recommended. Apply 9th floor, Robinson, JANTZEN-HAILBACK CO. 122 S. Hill.

WANTED—FEW BRIGHT YOUNG MEN TO COACH for RAILWAY MAIL LCLERKS (the State); beginning salary about $75 per month; fine promotion; see MISS WOLF, Room 1005, Imperial evening hours, 7 to 9:30. (See "Instruction" adv.)

WANTED—EXPERT STATIONERY AND ENGRAVER for sales person. Apply in person before 9:30 or after 5 to MRS. HOUGHTON, at Merlet Reynolds Art Store, 344 S. Broadway. Only thoroughly experienced need apply.

WANTED—MESSENGER BOY OVER 18 YEARS OF age, with wheel; hours 5:30 p.m. to 3 a.m.; wages $6 a week; permanent position to good boy; give local reference, phone, etc. Address J, box 194, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WE OFFER RELIABLE STUDENTS COMplete stenographic course. Day tuition after graduated and secure positions guaranteed. MACLAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, 806 Main st. See Ira Jones first.

WANTED—MEN AND BOYS TO LEARN A GOOD-paying trade, automobile driving, repairing, electricity, machinist, surveying. Say no; after this "Learn Trade." NATIONAL SCHOOL, 2110 W. Seventh.

WANTED — TWO A1 VACUUM CLEANER SALESmen; must have use to log trouble; best machine on the market. C. F. ADAMS CO., 600 E. Seventh street.

WANTED — STENOGRAPHER AND ASST. BOOKkeeper; under 25, willing to start at $50-$60; good opportunity for bright young man. Apply with references, 9 a.m., 620 BROCKMAN BLDG., Seventh and Grand.

WANTED—LIVE MEN TO GET ORDERS FOR PERsonal Christmas cards; new proposition; salary and commission paid. THE MISSION PRESS, 12 S. Fair Oaks, Pasadena.

WANTED—COMPETENT SALESMAN FOR WELL established line of specialties; exceptional opportunity to right party. Apply 321 BRYSON BLDG., Second and Spring, between 9 and 12, noon.

WANTED—CORE DRILLER TO TAKE CHARGE OF Ingersoll-Rand, Cabry inch and half core drill. Must be sober, reliable, and bring references, to CORE DRILLER, box 604, Los Angeles.

WANTED—$3 INDEPENDENT; LEARN THE BARber trade; reasonable terms, best place; highest wages while learning. THE NATIONAL BARBER SCHOOL, 129 E. Second st.

WANTED — NEAT-APPEARING YOUNG MEN TO take orders for Watkins Products. Their sell themselves. Call NOVELTY MFG. AND SPECIALTY CO., 225 W. Second st.

WANTED—GOOD ONE TO MOVE MY 4-ROOM house from 761 East Pico to corner 57th and Hooper ave. Call at once. 1300 E. 57TH ST.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS CEMENT FINISHER, $3 day; also experienced laborer on cement work, $2 day, at 247 S. ST. ANDREWS PLACE. Take Hoover or Western ave. car.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED YOUNG SINGLE MAN, assistant bacteriologist and photographer. A-1 concern, north; salary $75 a month to start. Apply EDUCATIONAL EXPERT CO., 301 Pay Bldg.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS WOOD-WORKER AND body builder at LLOYD CARRIAGE AND AUTO WORKS, 227 East Market st.

WANTED—ALL-AROUND, EXPERIENCED TAILOR; must be a 1 presser. The Western, cor. 4th and Broadway to end of line. WEBB, 4005 Clinton st.

WANTED—DRIVER FOR SIDNEY BUS. FORD CAR. Must be thoroughly reliable and careful. PHONE 20614.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BOILER REPAIR MAN. Call before 9 o'clock. WHITING WRECKING CO., Eighth and San Pedro.

WANTED—TWO LIVE MEN UNTIL CHRISTMAS, to all vacancies in a few that are making money. Call 8 o'clock, 709 LANKERSHIM BLDG.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS LEGAL STENOGRAPHER, able to assume responsibility; about 25. $90; fine future. LYONS & BEAVIS, EMPLOYMENT SPECIALISTS, Investment Bldg.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, UNDER 21, FOR CLERical position; must be able to do stenography, 042 to start; good chance; state age and experience. Address G, box 205, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — SALESMEN TO SELL CHRISTMAS cards; can make good money between now and Christmas. Apply 113 MERCHANTS TRUST BLDG.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN, EXPERIENCED IN photographic work. Apply here 10 a.m. today. L. A. SLIDE CO., room 15, 452 S. Main st.

WANTED — REPORTER-PRINTER. SEND RIPER-ences, qualifications; salary expected. Address J, box 160, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—AGENTS SELL SOAP FROM WAGON; make big money; single men need apply. Call 7 a.m., 225 SAN PEDRO ST.

WANTED—CASH BOYS.
$4.50 per week.
VILLE DE PARIS, South Broadway.

WANTED—TWO GENTLEMEN TO RENT ROOM with board; 10 minutes' walk from Sixth and Broadway. $30 S. FREMONT.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN, HELPER IN CANDY factory. Apply Tuesday morning at 2540 W. PICO.

WANTED — TWO-THIRD PRINTER OR APPRENtice, with some experience. Apply REPORTER OFFICE, Gardena, Cal.

WANTED—CARPENTER TO BUILD CHUTE. 125 W. 21ST ST., and Man to wash windows.

WANTED—OUTSIDE CAMERA MAN AND TWO callers. Good wages.

WANTED — ONE FIRST-CLASS WHEELWRIGHT. Apply CALIFORNIA SPRING CO., 215 Boston.

WANTED — MEN TO LEARN BARBER TRADE. Good wages while learning. 566 E. 6TH ST.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Females.
Investment Required.)

WANTED—AN HONEST, SOBER MAN TO HELP manage an old-established money-making business. No experience necessary. Half of the time outside work. Will pay $140 per month. $250 cash required; fully secured. For particulars, Rooms 411-412,
129 W. THIRD STREET.

WANTED—CAPABLE MAN OF GOOD CHARACTER, business ability and salesmanship. Salary to start $100 per month; to assist in management of office of corporation. $2000 required; fully secured. Address J, box 224, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female.
Investment Required.)

WANTED—TEMPERATE AND TRUSTWORTHY MAN who can invest $250 with his services to work in and help manage a fast-ground business, wh can furnish $250 with his services; will pay $125 per month; no previous experience necessary; chance agreeable work. Call 450 S. BROADWAY, room 606.

WANTED—MAN WITH FEW HUNDRED DOLLARS to buy shop and machines, sharpening razors, knives, scissors, etc.; established business; $4 to $7 per day. SAFETY RAZOR SHOP, 25 E. Colorado, Pasadena.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED RANCHMAN AND WIFE to take charge of 60 acres of alfalfa; $300 investment required; ample security; quick action necessary. Address J, box 168, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN TO TAKE ONE-HALF interest in established refinishing business; $500 required. Can assure good income to right party. Address G, box 188, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
Help, Female.

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EMPLOYERS—

As a citizen and taxpayer it is your duty to read this "Ad."

The city maintains a Municipal Free Employment Bureau, where the standard of efficiency required of applicants is unusually high. Personal investigation is made and only the capable and efficient sent to prospective employers.

This bureau will fill any position, from scrub woman to office manager, absolutely free of charge either to employer or employee.

MUNICIPAL FREE EMPLOYMENT BUREAU.
Men's Department, 208 Franklin street.
Women's Department, 207 So. Broadway.
Private exchange connecting both departments.
Broadway 6024. Home 10787

WANTED—COMPETENT LADY'S MAID AND LIGHT upstairs work (Protestant.) two adults, Pasadena, $25; come in office today; paste cook $15 week; meat and vegetable cook, $10; cook and downstairs and upstairs and nurse, suburbs, $30; employer in office this morning; competent home girl, three in family, $20; Covina, $20; Redondo city, $40; house girl, Riverside, $20-$25; another, Covina, $20; young nursery maid (English or Swiss, French preferred.) Arizona, $50, fare; other good places, city and country.
MRS. PATTEN'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE,
218 S. Broadway.

WANTED—
HAWLEY EMPLOYMENT COMPANY,
Elizabeth Kelton, Manager,
324 S. Broadway.
Cook, Pasadena, have second girl, $45, etc.; cook, city, $40, etc.; cooking and general work, two adults, laundry only, $40 etc.; cook, small family, Ocean Park, city plan, $35, etc.; second girl, Pasadena, $30, etc.; general house girls, $25 to $40, etc.

WANTED — DELICATESSEN CLERK, CITY, $10; waitress, railroad lunch counter, Arizona, free fare, $20 and found; lunch counter waitress, free fare, $25 and found; waitress, small hotel, lunch, $20 and found; house girls, $25 and $30 and found.

HUMMEL BROS. & CO.,
Employment Agencies,
316 East Second.

WANTED — CASHIER AND TELEPHONE ORDER clerk, experienced, for downtown grocery store, $60; telephone order clerk, grocery experience, $40; tube system cashier, $25; girl for dentist's office, $25; bookkeeper and stenographer, $90; bookkeeper, $85. CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL SERVICE, 6020 Brockman Bldg., Seventh and Grand.

WANTED — GENERAL HOUSE GIRL, CITY, $40; cashier, 4 in family, $35; another, Glendale, $25; another, Pasadena, $25; cook, $40; cook and general house girl and nurse for two children, same place, suburb, $30 and $20; general house girl, two in family, $25. HENDERSON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 312 West Third st.

WANTED—TWO EXPERIENCED FINISHERS IN shop for alteration work on men's ready-to-wear clothing. One vest maker and one trimmer. Call at 501 S. SIXTH ST., Foreman O'CLARK, second floor Metropolitan Bldg., Fifth and Broadway.

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL, COLORED OR WHITE, to care for boy, 1½ years, all from 1 until 5:30; afternoons, $1.50 per week. Call at once. 718 E. 23RD PL., off Central ave. Phone Main 6967.

WANTED—MAN OR WOMAN, WHO CAN DESIGN A few dresses, to be made from cloth and studied. Steady employment as foreman in factory to party who can do this right, and direct others. Call at 225 SECURITY BLDG., between 10 and 12 a.m. Mr. Nickerson. Phone A5469, Main 1062.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALESMAN FOR THE dinnerware department. Must understand china and glassware lines. Come well recommended. Apply 9th floor, Robinson, JANTZEN-HAILBACK CO. 122 S. Hill.

WANTED—FEW BRIGHT YOUNG MEN TO COACH for RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS (the State); beginning salary about $75 per month; fine promotion; see MISS WOLF, Room 1005, Imperial evening hours, 7 to 9:30. (See "Instruction" adv.)

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WANTED—SALESMEN TO SELL CHRISTMAS cards; can make good money between now and Christmas. Apply 113 MERCHANTS TRUST BLDG.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN, EXPERIENCED IN photographic work. Apply here 10 a.m. today. L. A. SLIDE CO., room 15, 452 S. Main st.

WANTED — REPORTER-PRINTER. SEND REFERences, qualifications; salary expected. Address J, box 160, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—AGENTS SELL SOAP FROM WAGON; make big money; single men need apply. Call 7 a.m., 225 SAN PEDRO ST.

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WANTED — LADIES TO DO RESHELSWORK BY piece or dozen. Call from 1 till 4. 122 WEST ADAMS, near Main.

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WANTED—WOMAN TO ASSIST IN HOME BAKING and share with recent experience. PHONE 28016, afternoon only.

WANTED — GENERAL HOUSEWORK BY GOOD German girl; wages $25 to $30. BROADWAY 2041. 537 25th.

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WANTED — POSITION BY GOOD SECOND GIRL; city references; wages $20 to $25. 507 25th. BROADWAY 2041.

WANTED—SALESLADIES TO REPRESENT US IN Los Angeles and surrounding towns. 320 HOMER LAUGHLIN BLDG.

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WANTED—MEN AND BOYS TO LEARN TRADE of automobiles, plumbing, bricklaying, electricity, without cutaway in few months.
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WANTED—MOTION PICTURE ACTING TAUGHT BY experienced director; references, special rates. PHOTOPLAY STUDIO, 5024 Virginia ave., Hollywood. Home 50102.

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Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—

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WANTED—TWO NEAT APPEARING YOUNG MEN to travel, handling spring specialty; proposition money-maker for hustlers. Apply 420 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG.

WANTED—SALESMAN, SALARY AND TRAVELING expenses to sell cigars, cigarettes, tobacco, etc.; experience unnecessary. REGIE TOBACCO CO., Dept. 33, Boston, Mass.

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WANTED — SOLICITOR TO TAKE ORDERS FOR patented cold-lettering and gold emblems and dies on commission; references. Address H, box 182, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED—10 CANVASSERS. I HAVE THE BEST proposition on market to offer to hustlers. Call Room 11, 109 E. SECOND ST. After 10 a.m.

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

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WANTED—BY AN ALL-AROUND MECHANIC, WITH references to honesty, sobriety and ability; 6 years with last firm; can do any work that requires a skilled workman. Around auto or gasoline engine, electric, repairs, painting, blacksmithing, carpentering, etc., elevator repairing, firemen; wages reasonable. Phone 32914. Address J, box 128, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, POSITION IN PRIVATE family, by a thoroughly experienced automobile mechanic able to drive and repair any make of car, accustomed to children; willing to be useful around the house, not afraid of long hours. Total abstainer. Age 26; Swede, married. TROILI, 418 W. 23rd st.

WANTED — REFINED AND AGREEABLE YOUNG man, expert in the care and operation of motor cars, and also experienced as dictaphone and secretary, would like permanent position with lady or gentleman of means. Prefer country or traveling. F. W. CLARK, Havana Hotel.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, WITH EUROPEAN COLlege education, excellent and writing in French, German, Italian and English; a good mathematician, wishes position. Small salary with chance for advancement. Address J, box 198, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — WORK, HAVE ABILITY BUT NO trade. Can drive car and have means to contract to attend strictly to business, whatever it may be. Do not use liquor nor tobacco. Address J, box 197, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED BOOKkeeper and stenographer, young man capable of taking entire charge of our office, just arrived in city and desires location where ability counts; salary to start no object; local and out-of-town references. Address H, box 110, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MOVING PICTURES; YOUNG MAN, 22, wishes to join a company; had stage experience in France. Please make an appointment. Address J, box 192, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, POSITION OF ANY kind in town or country. Advertiser is a good bi-quist and accountant and has had business experience. Address J, box 191, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MAN WHO HAS HAD LARGE EXPERIence in the printing business wants position, estimator or other office work. Address J, box 216, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — ENGLISHMAN, CLEAN, STRAIGHT, wants position, thorough business man, used to quotation and account, good references. Apt 33, W., 913 Wilcox ave., Cahuenga.

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WANTED—JAPANESE CHAUFFEUR WANTS POSItion in private family, have good experience, very careful driver, understands repair of car, willing to do general help. GEORGE, 220 E. 8th.

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WANTED — SHOE SALESMAN, REGULAR AND orthopedic; former and 4 years' experience. Age 32. Desires position in Los Angeles, Cal. V. B. PIKE, 903 Eighth ave., New York, N. Y.

WANTED—POSITION AS MALE NURSE OR COMpanion to elderly gentleman; years of experience. R. W. HORTON, 105 Hurlbut st., Pasadena. Phone Pair Oaks 2079.

WANTED—YOUNG JAPANESE WANTS POSITION in automobile shop; good driver and has some experience; do not desire much wages. GATO, 220 W. Fourth st.

WANTED — POSITION AS BOOK-KEEPER AM first-class in every respect. Can spend three referee, references, moderate salary. Address W, box 492, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — PAINTER, GOOD FAST MECHANIC, can do any kind of work, has best references, wants work at $2.50 a day; can own tools. Address J, box 221, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — A JAPANESE, HONEST, EDUCATED boy wants position as first-class cook, boiler, chauffeur, in good family, in city or out. TAMI, 217 East First st.

WANTED—SITUATION AS MALE ATTENDANT FOR an invalid; practical experience, best of references. Address F. L. LEE, 1321 S. Grand ave. Main 2253.

WANTED — CHAUFFEUR, YOUNG MAN, WANTS position, private or truck. Can do own repairing. Address J, box 222, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — BUTLER, VALET, SWISS, SINGLE, first-class, sedate and can furnish references. SUMPF, 5484 South Boylston st.

WANTED—BY CHINESE BOY, WORK IN HOTEL or apartment house. C. DONG, 836 S. Broadway.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN OF GOOD HABITS WANTS any kind of work around store; prefer delivery. PHONE SOUTH 5788.

WANTED—SITUATION AS SHEET METAL WORKer or auto lamp and heating, etc. GARVANZA 1396.

WANTED—SITUATION, EXPERIENCED BUTLER IN private family or commercial hotel waiter, Spanish-American. SOUTH 6812.

WANTED—CARPENTER WORK BY FIRST-CLASS man. Will work cheap. Phone BROADWAY 1429.

WANTED—SITUATION BY KOREAN SCHOOL BOY for hours in morning and evening. PHONE 257822.

WANTED—SITUATION BY TEMPERATE MIDDLEaged man; ranch, orchard or dairy, experienced. Address J, box 213, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A YOUNG FILIPINO WANTS A POSItion in a private family as chauffeur. CALL 41774

WANTED—JAPANESE SCHOOLBOY WANTS POSItion in a small family. F1052. MAIN 4515.

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WANTED — BY JAPANESE BOY, EXPERIENCED, store work. INO., 208½ E. FIFTH ST. Phone 53348.

WANTED—YOUNG, STRONG, WELL EDUCATED Japanese wants country work. Phone A5572, 523 WEST 6TH ST., city.

WANTED—JAPANESE, FIRST-CLASS COOK, DEsires situation; excellent references. 413 WEST SEVENTH ST. 64285; Main 8048.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS ACTIVE CARPENTER wants work, any kind, day or contract. Phone VERMONT 2186.

WANTED—GARDENER AND HANDY MAN WANTS day work or steady position. Address Box 45, TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena.

WANTED—POSITION BY JAPANESE AS WASHING and ironing or housework in family. F. FUCHIARA. 14184, South Flower st. Home 20885.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, FIRST-CLASS DRIVER, no objection to other work, city or country. A. E. ALLEN, 621 S. Olive st., Los Angeles.

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TO LET—UPSTAIRS, 2 ROOMS, BATH, WALL beds, 1044½ PARK VIEW. Take 11th st. car. 51119, Wilshire 856.

TO LET—3-ROOM APARTMENTS, PRIVATE BATH, disappearing beds, gas range. 556 N. WESTERN AVE. Phone West 4833.

TO LET—
Rooms and Board.

TO LET—ROOMS AND BOARD. LOVELY, CLEAN, large, sunny rooms, with excellent table, for couples; every comfort; piano; large parlor; warm and cozy; only want two couples. Would take four gentlemen and make rate very reasonable. Call and see the place. Everything very attractive and clean. 2824 S. FLOWER. Take car to Grand and 28th, walk west.

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TO LET—GOOD ROOMS, FINE TABLE, CHEAP. 918 W. SIXTH ST.

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TO LET—GRADUATE NURSE WILL TAKE CHILD to board, good care. Terms reasonable. GLENDALE 949-J.

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TO LET—NEW, MODERN, SWELL BUNGALOW, 9 rooms, fine neighbors, asphalt streets, swept daily by city, excellent car service. Southwest. 926 S. H. LEVY, 1021 Central Bldg. F7686.

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PARTNER CALLED AWAY. MUST HAVE RELIable man assist in thoroughly established business. Has averaged $300 monthly profits. Experience not essential. Small investment required. Particulars, ROOM 202, 126 W. Third.

I WANT TO MEET A PARTY, LADY OR GENTLEman, who has $10,000 to invest, to such a person I will secure the money with $20,000 worth of real estate and make a fortune for both of us. This is not a dream. If interested, address Y, box 450, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—BUSINESS SUITABLE FOR A LADY. Will invoice $2000. Well established. Will sell for $1500, terms to right party. Must sell account of other business. See MR. RICH, 1017 Title Insurance Bldg.

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RESTAURANT WITH LIQUOR LICENSE. Seats 55; daily sales over $100 (guaranteed under trade); lease 2 years; rent $50; will sell cheap by cigar stand; price $2250. THE BELL CO., 703½ S. Broadway.

GROCERY AT INVOICE, ABOUT $4000; EMPLOY 5 clerks; daily sales average $150; rent $60; cash customers close in, none exchange. 325 UNION OIL BLDG., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE — BEST PAYING CORNER GROCERY most marked in Los Angeles, daily receipts $120; invoice $2000; rent $30; over $800 men steadily employed near store. BAUERSEL, 224 Bryson Bldg.

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A bargain that can't be duplicated; horseshoe counter, tables, modern equipment, choice location; rent $30; living-rooms. THE BELL CO., 703½ S. Broadway.

Classified Liners.

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FOR SALE—WE HAVE A FEW EXCELLENT POCKET and billiard tables, slightly used, that would be just the thing for HIS Christmas gift. Call and examine same at our showrooms, 231 E. Third st. THE BRUNSWICK-BALKE-COLLENDER CO.

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FOR SALE—Furniture.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE AT AUCTION, TUESDAY, December 8, 10 a.m., 1621 West Pico st. We will sell without reserve or limit 12 rooms of furniture, consisting of Axminster, Brussels and Moquette rugs, quartered and polished oak dressers, chiffoniers, pedestal extension table, chairs and rockers, oak and mahogany bedroom suites, brass and white enameled beds, steel springs, sanitas; couches, fine and felt mattresses, blankets, comforters and towels, bed and table linens, china, glass and silverware, lace curtains, portieres, stair and hall carpet, gas range and cooking utensils, 15 White Leghorn hens. The above list of goods is clean and good. Sale rain or shine. Dealers and everybody invited. S. P. DIVVER, Auctioneer. Phone 22268.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE AT AUCTION, WEDNESday, December 9, 10 a.m., 627 E. 22nd st. We will sell without reserve or limit 6 rooms of furniture, consisting of Axminster and body Brussels rugs, quartered and polished oak Napoleon, threepiece bedroom suite, cost $125; brass and white enameled beds, steel springs, fine and felt mattresses, screens, comforters and blankets, pillows and bed linens, lace curtains, portieres and oil paintings, handsome combination, buffet and china closet, tapestry, upholstered divan, couch, fancy pillows, antique copper tea kettles, gas range, gas plate and air-tight heater, dishes and cooking utensils. S. P. DIVVER, auctioneer. Phone 22268.

FOR SALE — LEAVING, CONTENTS ELEGANT 10-room house, furniture, new, magnificent, colonial Circassian walnut set, leather rocker, davenport, brass bed, fumed oak dining set, rugs, porch furniture; sewing machine; Kohler-Chase player piano, refrigerator, everything for home, selling by necessity. Big sacrifice. 1400 CONSTANCE ST. Pico Heights car. Phone West 5505.

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FOR SALE—DEC. 10, 10 A.M., 1515 MAPLE AVE., furniture of 10-room, apartment-house, oak dressers, beds, complete, sanitary couches, tables, chairs, rugs, carpets, cooking outfit, will continue until everything is sold. Come first day and have your choice. Sell for what I can get.

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FOR SALE—LEATHER CUSHION STICKLEY CHAIR for office or desk, refrigerator and Akron gas range. All very cheap. 58068.

FOR SALE—GAS ROOM HEATER, HEATS GOOD-sized room; can be easily carried from one room to another. Will sell cheap. Call 906 S. HILL ST.

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THINGS ON WHEELS—All Sorts.

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1914 BUICK 6-25 TOURING CAR, PERFECT CONDITION, original finish, in excellent shape, good tires. This is no ordinary second-hand car; it's a beauty; used the month only. Price right. 1802 W. 21ST ST. 74052.

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FOR SALE—1914 OVERLAND, FULLY EQUIPPED, self-starter, good as new, $700; don't answer unless you have the cash; no agents. Main 8294, A4701. MRS. WILBER.

FOR SALE—1912, 5-PASSENGER HUDSON "33," newly painted, demountable rims, good tires, absolutely in first-class condition. OWNER, 3264 W. Pico. Broadway 3295.

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BRING $250 AND YOU CAN HAVE MY DUSO car, absolutely guaranteed extra tire and tubes. Good for all purposes. Call 311 BLACK BLDG.

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THINGS ON WHEELS—All Sorts.

Automobiles

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Touring car, has equipment of electric lights, self-starter, demountable rims, two extra tires, etc.; this car has been driven but a very little; looks and runs like a brand-new one; if you want one of these high-grade little cars at practically your own price, see this.
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My late model Cadillac roadster, torpedo model, has self-starter, electric lights, etc.; can hardly be told from a new car; we give an absolute guarantee with this car.
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We have two of them, one 25 and one 30-h.p., both of these cars are practically as good as new, but will be sold at a great sacrifice.
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On my 30-H.P., 4-passenger Pennsylvania; this is absolutely a high-grade car, and will be sold so cheap it will astonish you. See this one.
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HUDSON "33," TORPEDO MODEL, IN PERFECT trim. Brand new tires, extra rims and tires. Bargain. Also 1914 King, 5-passenger, self-starter, electric lights, etc. Same class car, $775; guaranteed same as new.
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1912 STUDEBAKER TOURING, FINE SHAPE, FULly equipped, $225; also Chalmers racy roadster, Firestone rims, new tires, cheap.
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A number of light cars in good order to complete our stock.
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AM SACRIFICING MY 1913 CADILLAC ROADSTER, from very small mileage. Has electric starter and lights, and had it overhauled and varnished, less any time. 961 FLOWER.

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FOR SALE—CHEAP, 1913-1914 TWIN HARLEY-Davidson motorcycle, perfect condition. Ring WEST 14, or 71600.

PIERCE 4-CYLINDER MOTORCYCLE IN PERFECT condition. Ride it away at a bargain. 1040 S. FLOWER. 60249, Main 7877.

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BARGAIN PRICES, FARM IMPLEMENTS, WAGONS. All goods new and absolutely guaranteed. See us before buying and save 20 to 33 1-3 pct. DIXON & GRISWOLD,
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FOR SALE—PAIR MULES, SOUND, WEIGHT 2200, $40 takes team; also pair ranch mares, $45 for both; good saddle pony, $20. Call 110 INDIANA ST.

FOR SALE—SPAN OF WELL MATCHED GRAYS, weight 2400 pounds, 4 and 5 years old, mare and horse; well broken, double and single, cheap for cash. Take Stephenson, cor. car to 23. Pass walk south to 1145 EL PASEO ST.

FOR SALE — MULES, TEAM OF GOOD WORK mules, sound and in good work order, weight 2500 pounds. No use for them. Price $140.
846 SAN PEDRO ST.

FOR SALE—12 GOOD DAIRY COWS, ALL OR PART. This ranch is one line to Clearwater. Second house north on boulevard. JOHN RUTHER, Home phone 181.

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FOR SALE—KIND AND GENTLE 1400-LB. HORman mare, 6 years old, works single and double; very appropriate for orchard and ranch work. 1842 BROOKLYN AVE.

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FOR SALE—HANDSOME JERSEY-GUERNSEY COW; can't be beat for family use; no better in town for the money. 1709 S. MAIN.

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FOR SALE — A 6-GALLON JERSEY DURHAM, just fresh, will exchange for a smaller milker. 2122 N. MAIN.

FOR SALE—ONE SPAN OF HEAVY WORK HORSES. Call forenoons only at 906 S. BREED ST., Boyle Heights. Phone Boyle 1411.

FOR SALE—WHOLE OUTFIT FOR $50, SOUND mare and good top buggy.
1612 SAN PEDRO ST.

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FOR SALE—3 FRESH COWS, MILKING FROM 4 to 6 gallons, young, gentle, rich milkers. 6449 SANTA FE AVE.

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FOR SALE—TODAY, PULLETS, LAYING HENS, cocks and cockerels, all new; baby chicks, hatching eggs, poultry supplies, etc. THE PIONEER HATCHERY CO., 112 E. Eighth st. Both phones.

WANTED—TO BUY, UP TO 1500 HENS, FROM 9 to 10 months old; give lowest cash price, particulars. O. M. RASMUSSEN, Route 1, Box 298, El Monte. Phone Alhambra 302.

FOR SALE—THOROUGHBRED WHITE MINORCAS, cockerels and pullets, four and five months. Hens, one and a half years. W. F. BURT, 128 W. 90th st.

FOR SALE—WHITE CRESTED BLACK POLISH pullets and cockerels, fine stock. Might trade for table fowls. 4307½ STEPHENSON AVE.

FOR SALE—FIVE PURE RED CHICKENS, ALSO pair golden pheasants, and pair wild mallard ducks. EAST 2865.

FOR SALE—FINE ANCONAS, ROOSTERS, BLOODED stock. 2227 W. NINTH.

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FOR SALE—$1.00 EACH, THOROUGHBRED GERman Roller female breeders, deep yellow. No. 8025 S. MAIN ST.

Ducks, Geese, Turkeys.

FOR SALE—YOUNG LAYING INDIAN RUNNER ducks by dozen or more. KNOB HILL RANCH, Palms, Sunset 20691.

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FOR SALE—WIRE-HAIRED FOX TERRIER PUPpies, very promising litter; born November 8, by 4 son of champion Humbertsmoor Bassett; sire-dam of Gordon Recorder. H. I. MARSHALL, Arlington, Cal.

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LOST, FOUND, STRAYED And Stolen.

LOST—SCOTCH COLLIE, MALE, BELONGING TO my little girl, missing since Wednesday, easily identified because of 2 spots on back, where hair has been scratched off. Suitable reward paid for information leading to his return. 1304 ORANGE ST. Phone 54405.

LOST—IF THE LADY, ACCOMPANIED BY A GENtleman, at the Owl Drug Store at 2 o'clock Monday, who was seen to take a ladies' green handbag from off the soda counter, will return same to 5443 LEXINGTON AVE., nothing more will be said. Home Phone 509179.

LOST—OR STOLEN—LADIES' PIGSKIN SUITCASE with name of Berlin Church on the end, from Ford roadster in parking opening, in front of 920 GRAND AVE. $25 reward; no questions asked. PHONE 509194.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—LARGE JERSEY HEIFER, coming two years old, white heart on forehead, from Rosecrans Rancho, Gardena. PHONE 3091. $50 reward.

LOST—AN ENVELOPE CONTAINING CERTIFICATE of 640 acres of school land; also certificate of title on Missouri land, with other papers. Liberal reward. Phone any morning before 10, 22000. 200 W. 19TH ST.

LOST—LADY'S BLACK FIN, SEAL PURSE, IN JITney bus between 47th and Jefferson sts. Liberal reward for return to THOS. F. DALEY, 529 W. 47th place.

LOST—GOLD MINIATURE LORGNETTES, MONDAY, at Orpheum Theater, on Broadway between 81st and Seventh. Reward if returned to MRS. OVERSTREET, Hotel Maryland, Pasadena.

LOST—WATCH CHARM WITH MONOGRAM ON ONE side, on reverse side cross and crown emblem with this inscription, from "Kitty to Ray." Liberal reward. PHONE MAIN 2619, F4762.

LOST—LADY'S OPEN-FACED GOLD WALTHAM watch, with monogram on back, recently attached to a pearl heart pin. Reward. PHONE 51179.

LOST—TWO DIAMOND RINGS; ONE LADY'S AND one gent's; either on Main or Second st. December 3. Good reward if returned. PHONE F6215.

LOST—BLACK FUR PONY COAT, IN HARLOW'S or Grand ave. car. Returned to 746 KOHLER, or for any information.

LOST — LADY'S LOW SHOE, WITH BUCKLE IN Central Park, Saturday evening. Address 816 W. TENTH ST. Reward.

FOUND—A LADY'S GOLD WATCH ON W. SEVenth st. Owner call at 734 VALENCIA ST, and describe, and pay for this ad.

LOST—LADY'S GOLD WATCH, BETWEEN FIFTH and Bullock's. Prized as keepsake. PHONE 20014. Reward.

LOST — GOLD-MOUNTED ETRUSCAN CANE, marked Martin. Reward for return. APARTMENT 212, Cumberland Hotel, Third and Olive.

LOST—A BULLDOG, 5 MONTHS OLD. FINDER will be rewarded. RANG, 528 S. Figueroa.

FOUND—WATCH. OWNER PLEASE CALL AT 2051 S. HOBART BLVD.

LOST—WILL PARTY WHO FOUND LADY'S GOLD watch and fob, kindly PHONE F2880. Reward.

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EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD.

Reception to Texans.

The Texas State Association will hold its annual reception at the Owen Apartments, No. 1355 Orange street, this evening. All Texans and their friends are invited to attend. Cards and dancing will be features of the evening.

Celtic Club Dinner.

The Los Angeles Celtic Club will meet this evening at 6:30 at Christopher's. Dr. Walter Lindley will read a paper on "Irish Dramatists and the Irish Drama." Judge Finlayson and others will speak and there will be Celtic songs.

Parcel Post to Germany.

Postmaster Brown announced yesterday that arrangements had been made for the resumption of the dispatch of parcel post mail for Germany, Austria and Hungary, and that until further notice parcel post packages which conform to the prescribed conditions will be accepted for mailing to these countries.

Those Stamps are Here.

Collector Carter announced yesterday that his office is now in receipt of documentary stamps of the value as high as $50 for use by payers of the new tax. In order to boost business it was also announced that persons purchasing documentary or proprietary stamps in $100 quantities will be allowed a discount of 1 per cent.

Worthy Matron Injured.

Mrs. Ella Pearn, No. 115 West Eighth street, Worthy Matron-elect of Acacia Chapter, No. 21, O.E.S., was painfully injured by an automobile on Thursday evening ,while leaving the home of a sick member. Mrs. Minnie Jordon was installed as proxy for Mrs. Pearn at the regular installation of the chapter, Saturday. Mrs. Pearn will be installed as soon as her condition will permit.

Elect Officers.

Gen. W. S. Rosecrans camp, No. 2, Sons of Veterans, held a meeting last night in Patriotic Hall, in the Hall of Records, and elected the following officers: Commander, G. J. Wilson; Senior Vice-Commander, L. A. Norcross; Junior Vice-Commander, G. R. Powell; Secretary, L. A. Cleveland; Treasurer, B. S. Davis, and Camp Council, F. L. Cleveland, S. C. Hawthorn and George W. Conart.

Many Shots Aid Thief.

Too many persons shooting at a burglar yesterday with the result that the burglar escaped. Two policemen, chasing a thief who entered the home of H. O. Howorth at No. 1416 East Twenty-second street, fired several shots at the marauder. Two citizens fired several shots at the policemen and some at the burglar. The shooting occured early in the morning and the burglar escaped in the dark by leaping a fence. He fired point-blank at Motorcycle Policeman Hamilton and later at Acting Lieutenant Green.

AID TO WIDOW.

Abraham C. Bird of No. 537 Huntington terrace, who died November 28, leaving an estate of $75,000, bequeathed the property to his widow, Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Bird, naming her executrix without bonds. The will, written by himself, and filed yesterday, contained this clause:

"I desire that you divide the personal property, such as books, and jewelry, upon the general plans heretofore discussed between us."

The heirs are the widow and the children, the latter Mrs. E. W. Childs, Hinsdale, Ill.; Mrs. C. H. Olmstead, Galena, Ill.; Mrs. P. W. Huston,, Evanston, Ill.; Catherine and William H. Bird of Pasadena.

FRIEND HIS BANK.

A. Horning must produce in the divorce court this morning several hundred dollars which he placed in the care of J. H. Downing, because, he admitted, he "didn't want to put the money in a bank."

The admission was reluctantly given and only after Judge Monroe had asked several searching questions.

"Why didn't you put the money in a bank?" asked the court.

"Well, I let Mr. Downing have it because he is a good, honest man," was the reply.

"Well," said the court, "you bring it here in the morning."

Mrs. Horning is asking for a divorce and alimony.

JEWELRY STOLEN.

Pass-key thieves early last night made way with more than $200 worth of jewelry and $47 in money from the homes of J. L. Martin, No. 3617 Fifth avenue, and D. R. Mckey, No. 327 West Seventy-first street. Both of the homes were entered by the burglars by way of the rear door and by the use of pass keys.

Resume.

BIG SAVING TO CITY SCHOOLS.

THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT TELLS OF HIS WORK.

Applauded by Teachers After He Explains Levy of Taxes for Educational Work and Shows Gains Made in Finance—For City-County Government Consolidation.

If that was an anti-Keppel meeting yesterday afternoon at the Polytechnic High School, then the County Superintendent of Schools should crave more of a like kind. The attendance was not large, there being perhaps 150 teachers present, mostly special teachers and teachers of the B-1 grade.

As Mr. Keppel outlined, from his own standpoint, the achievements of his twelve years as County Superintendant, he was liberally applauded, and when he had done he received an ovation.

In the letter asking him to deliver the address yesterday he was requested to speak on the activities of the office of County Superintendent and to answer such questions as might be propounded.

In his opening words Mr. Keppel said that, while the office he holds is under civil service, it is by no means a life position, as some people have said. He predicted that within a few years city and county governments would be completely consolidated, and he fully approves the plan as a money-saving proposition.

"The only way for a man to hold the county superintendency for life," he said, "is for him to die within about three years."

He went elaborately into an explanation of the school law in elucidating the levying of taxes for support of the schools, and set up the letter of the law as a defense of the rate fixed for the maintenance of the city schools after they came under the control of the County Supervisors in 1909, instead of under the control of the City Council as prior to that date.

"I can't for the life of me understand," he said, "why some people, otherwise eminently fair, will not concede that the County Superintendent acted strictly under the law in recommending the 30-cent rate instead of the 42-cent rate, and that the County Supervisors acted strictly under the law in fixing that rate."

He said the city schools have received something like $600,000 more during the years they have been under the County Supervisors than they would have received had they remained under city control, and that during the years of his incumbency he has saved at least as much more to the schools of the county through suggested changes in the laws and in other ways.

The only questions asked were two, both being of the same tenor and bearing upon his right to call attention to infractions of the school laws.

DEATH OF A PIONEER.

One of the City's Early Merchants and Representatives in the Legislature Passes at Whittier.

Frederick Lambourn, one of the early residents of Los Angeles, for many years proprietor of a general merchandise store in the city and a Representative in the State Legislature from this county, for one term during the seventies, died at Whittier on Sunday evening at the age of 77 years.

The deceased was born in Kent, Eng., and came with his parents to this country when a boy, settling at Eureka, Ill. He was educated in that State and crossed the plains at California just after the famous Donner party met its fate. Coming to Los Angeles he taught school for a time and then became manager of the Temple and Workman ranch, holding the position many years before entering business for himself. In 1876 he married Miss Georgia Morrison, and besides the widow, leaves three children, Frederick F. and William W. Lambourn and Mrs. Everett Isbell. His funeral will be private.

BUSINESS BREVITIES.
(Advertising.)

For quick action drop answers to Times "liners" in Times' liner boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "liner" section.

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Women's Dress Skirts in Navy or Black Serges and Satin combinations; large and small novelty plaids, also black Silks. All sizes.

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WED., DEC. 9, 10 A.M. (Confectionery) 522 W. NINTH ST. Will be sold as a whole or by the piece.

WED., DEC. 9, 2 P.M. (Furniture.) 1942 E. 17TH ST., Near Central Ave. Everything in this 6-room home in first class.

THURS., DEC. 10, 2 P.M., House and Lot. 3022 HALLDALE AVE. Fine home. Owner non-resident. Positive sale.

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Today—Tuesday—10 a.m. All Day. Fine Furniture, Rugs and Carpets. 1053-55 South Main St. REED & HAMMOND.

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THE WEATHER.
[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 7.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.01; at 5 p.m., 30.04. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 46 deg. and 56 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 86 per cent.; 5 p.m., 68 per cent. Wind, 7 a.m., northeast, velocity 3 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 8 miles. Highest temperature, 58 deg.; lowest, 44 deg. Rainfall for season, 1.34 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—Precipitation was general throughout the United States during the past twenty-four hours, with the exception of only a few scattered localities. The precipitation took the form of snow in Nevada, Montana and easterly to the Missouri River and southerly into Kansas. The greatest precipitation, 1.60 inch, fell at Washington city. The distribution of pressure on the Pacific Slope remains unchanged. Light frost occurred in the vicinity of Los Angeles Monday morning, and heavy frost is reported from Phoenix. Fair weather will continue in Los Angeles Tuesday, with frost in the morning.

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair Tuesday; frost in the morning; northerly to northeasterly winds. For California south of the Tehachapi: Fair Tuesday; frost in the morning.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—Weather forecast: San Francisco and vicinity, Sacramento and Santa Clara valleys: Unsettled weather, with showers, Tuesday; light south wind.

San Joaquin Valley: Unsettled weather, probably showers, Tuesday; light south wind.

California south of the Tehachapi: Fair Tuesday; frost in the morning; light north wind.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Forecast for Arizona: Generally fair Tuesday and Wednesday.

YUMA (Ariz.) Dec. 7.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 16.20 feet.

VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

ALVAREZ—BENTERIA, Marcelino B. Alvarez, 23; Petra Benteria, 19.

BLANKENBAKER—THORNHILL, John Blankenbaker, 25; Edna Thornhill, 21.

BRENHALS—ARMSTRONG, Silas J. Brinhall, 41; Harriet Armstrong, 39.

CARNEY—BENNET, Thomas G. Carney, 21; Beatrice Bennet, 21.

CARRERE—WATKINS, Bruno Carrere, 45; Eugenie B. Watkins, 37.

FALCONER—KNOX, Earl G. Falk, 20; Ada Bess, 20.

FANDRO—KIER, Carl F. Fandro, 20; Marie Kier, 21.

FURNASH—GOERGE, Furnash, 22; Ivy F. Nash, 22.

FRIEND—BODY, Willis K. Friend, 28; Edna Body, 25.

FROST—JACOBS, Walter C. Frost, 30; Ida M. Jacobs, 28.

GIBSON—McMURRAY, Russel R. Gibson, 20; Bessie G. McMurray, 20.

GLASER—GUTTMANN, Max Glaser, 57; Rieka Guttmann, 42.

GODDARD—NORTON, Stephen H. Goddard, 42; Katherine T. Norton, 38.

GRAN—ROSSAU, Emilie B. Gran, 22; Elias Rossau, 22.

HARDEMAN—DEISLE, J. Raymond Hardeman, 20; Helen C. Deisle, 22.

HICKS—LAUDERMILK, Robert S. Hicks, 20; Antonia Lauderwilk, 22.

HODGE—McKENZEY, Rex E. Hodge, 20; Charlotte B. McLennar, 21.

HOLMES—FRANCOEUR, Arthur H. Holmes, 20; Lillian M. Francoeur, 18.

KENT—MITCHELL, Sidney J. Kent, 36; Edith A. Mitchell, 40.

MARTIN—BOARTRIGHT, Paul R. Martin, 23; Christine D. Boartright, 19.

MATTHEWS—VAN DYKE, Byron W. Matthews, 30; Mary Van Dyke, 28.

McCARTHY—SANDERS, Hugh R. McCarthy, 29; Florence R. Sanders, 28.

McFADDEN—WINDHAM, Chimmie McFadden, 28; Lily M. Windham, 24.

MYERS—DARTRO, Jacob S. Myers, 22; Victoria Cortes, 18.

SHANDS—HOLLAND, Dudley B. Shands, 29; Florence E. Holland, 28.

STEPHENS—PIKE, Frank W. Stephens, 32; Edna E. Pike, 26.

THEODOSIOUS—CHANGALAKIS, Peter Theodosius, 30; Panagiota Changalakis, 29.

VARCOE—PROCTER, William W. Varcoe, 23; Florence C. Procter, 21.

WATTS—STICKEL, Robert Watts, 22; Nellie Stickel, 20.

WOODRUFF—WHITNEY, Walter Whitney, 28; Ethelyn Whitney, 18.

WILLIAMS—FRANCIS, Harvey Williams, 79; Minnie C. Francis, 60.

YOUNG—CRAPMAN, Roger B. Young, 25; Edna M. Chapman, 18.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

ACHESON, Mr. and Mrs. Frank, Daughter, County Hospital, December 4.

BLOOMER, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest S., Boy, Good Samaritan Hospital, December 4.

BROWN, Mr. and Mrs. Chester S., Daughter, Sunset Hospital, December 4.

BURDSALL, Mr. and Mrs. Alvah H., Boy, 4613 Fern place, November 28.

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XXXIIIRD YEAR. TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1914.—EDITORIAL SECTION. POPULATION By the Federal Census (1910)—319,198 By the City Directory (1914)—418,243

White-winged.

MESSENGER OF MERCY IN STEAM AND STEEL.

Mighty Camino Here, Riding Deep With Foodstuffs for Belgium.

Giant Relief Ship, California Built, Manned, Registered and Laden, to Weigh Anchor this Afternoon on Historic Errand of Succor to Victims of the War. Nearly Six Thousand Tons of Things to Eat.

ELIGHTED with the offering of a great State to a nation in distress—a material and symbolic expression of the sympathy of the people of California with the afflicted peoples of once-prosperous Belgium—the relief ship Camino will weigh anchor at the harbor at 2 o'clock this afternoon, outward bound on a mission of mercy that will carry it to the very threshold of tragedy at Rotterdam.

The California-built, manned and registered, the Camino way across the seas will be with a $200,000 cargo of foodstuffs under hatches, the contribution of the State as a whole to the alleviation of the distress of the widows, orphans and afflicted of Belgium wherever they may be found," under the instructions of the San Francisco and Los Angeles chambers of commerce, who took the leadership in the work of solicitation.

With the exception of a small "God-speed" party, composed of members of the Chamber of Commerce Belgian relief Committee, and the possible presence of the Long Beach Municipal band and a small party from the office of that city, the departure of the Camino from the plant of the Los Angeles Harbor Dock and Wharf Company will be unmarked by any stated ceremony.

SIX THOUSAND TONS.

But with it will be wafted, across the seas, the heartfelt sympathies of millions, who at their firesides have only a vague idea of the horrors that have followed in the wake of the Juggernaut of Mars. But that they have caught some sense of the pathos of the tragedy, in which innocent children play a leading part, has been staged by lustful hands, the proscenium glow of burning homes in flames, is shown by the offering in a few short weeks of 5500 tons of foodstuffs for the relief of King Albert's subjects.

Leaving here, the Camino will not again touch American soil until on her return from Rotterdam in cargo. According to the estimate of A. A. Moran, manager of Swayne & Hoyt of San Francisco, from whom the American Commission for Belgian Relief chartered the boat, the Camino should arrive at Rotterdam between January 15 and 20. Dr. Henry Van Dyke, United States Minister to The Netherlands, will take charge of the cargo on arrival and will supervise its distribution as well as assure its safe conduct into the hands of the needy. This is by agreement of the warring nations. En route the Camino will stop at London to replenish its fuel supply and to take on the pilots who will act as guides through the mine fields.

These pilots will be two in number, one English and one German. The German pilot will carry that desired of all things, an accurate map of the German mine fields, but his safe conduct is guaranteed by both England and the State Department of the United States.

Arriving here at 8 o'clock yesterday morning the Camino unloaded 500 tons of pipe for the water department before proceeding to take on the Southern California contribution. This pipe was carried by this port by the Camino on its last trip from New York and had to be relayed back here.

In all, Southern California contributed 600 tons of foodstuffs, valued at $30,000. The Northern and Central California contribution totaled 4500 tons, valued at $170,000.

In bags, boxes and barrels, the contribution was taken aboard the relief boat. It is none of it fancy goods, but good, wholesome foodstuffs, with flour leading the list, thereafter beans, rice and canned goods. One of the first things that the American Commission for Belgian Relief did after securing the assurance of the Los An-

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Linens of Real Worth

We can't begin to tell you of all the good linens we have bought for this Christmas season. Our showing of complete Dinner Sets, however, deserves especial mention at this time.

SETS AT $6.00—Two yard cloth, 23-inch napkins to match. The linen is especially fine, with a bright satin finish. Set complete $6.00.

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SETS AT $15.00—Two yard cloth and 25-inch Napkins. This is finely woven, soft finished, perfect laundering cloth. A dozen or more new patterns—$15.00.

Also to see the new Luncheon Cloths at $1.00.
And the dainty Breakfast cloths at $1.50, $1.75 and $2.

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A new lot of two-toned Sunfast Draperies, fifty inches wide, guaranteed fast colors. Browns, greens, blues, gold and rose colors. A grade we usually sell for $1.00 a yard marked 75c.

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This is Col. Alexander's "Girl of the Golden West."

Two views of Miss Jessie Cope,

The Los Angeles girl—originally from Iowa—who caused the arrest of Col. Charles Alexander, millionaire Rhode Island manufacturer, on a charge of violating the Mann white slave act and who was subsequently arrested herself on a charge of having attempted to bribe Federal officers. She wired her friends here yesterday that she expects to return here in a short time.

Notable.

NUCLEUS OF A WAR MUSEUM.

TRINITY BATTLE FILMS TO BE PERMANENT RECORD.

Ex-President Taft Honorary Head of Association to Preserve Great Struggle in Relics and Pictures, to Which Those Now Showing Here will be First Contribution.

The Belgian war pictures now running at Trinity will help to form an American museum of war pictures and relics. Future generations will be able to see actual occurrences of the present European war, reproduced in motion pictures and view specimens of every class of objects connected with the war, including guns and uniforms actually used in battle and the pictures of such equipment, together with the contesting armies filmed in action, in a great war museum to be erected by the Modern Historic Records Association, of which ex-President William H. Taft is honorary president. The first deposit of such films will be a copy of those being shown at Trinity this week.

Go to Trinity and see on Belgian battlefields. There are four reels, the most interesting ever shown, and when you realize some portion of the price of every ticket is being used to help this great nation, which has literally been crowded out of existence for attempting to keep a neutrality which other nations seem to have forgotten!

Every inch of these films have something of intense interest to the student, the historian, the war critic, the diplomat, the fathers and mothers and the children of this great country which is now so nobly aiding the Belgian relief fund.

Eve ryafternoon and evening for the entire week, excepting Tuesday and Friday evenings, the films may be seen at Trinity Auditorium.

ASK JURY TRIALS.

But Harvard School Teachers Accused of Beating Rector's Son Will Probably Waive Right Later.

Jury trials were asked by Rev. R. B. Gooden, Capt. H. C. Downing and S. G. Michener, charged with the whipping of Baker P. Lee, Jr., then a student at Harvard Military School, when the cases against them were called yesterday afternoon in Police Court. Justice White, after allowing Mr. Michener to go on his own recognizance and continuing the bail of $100 in the case of Capt. Downing, transferred the hearing to Department Three.

A rush of students, who had crowded the courtroom, followed. Police Judge Williams set the date of hearing for February 10, at which time, according to Attorney Dean, who represents the defendants, the jury right will probably be waived and the case be presented entirely on the question of law involved in the punishment administered to young Lee.

To Los Angeles.

MISS COPE WIRES THAT SHE WILL SOON RETURN.

MISS JESSIE COPE, the robust maid of Marshalltown, Iowa, who captivated the fancy of the gallant Col. Charles Alexander and startled the nation when the alliance was exposed, is to return to California within a short time. She intends to return to Los Angeles and reoccupy her elaborate suite of rooms at the Hillman apartments, No. 1010 Ingraham street.

Her intentions were explained in a telegram which she sent to an intimate friend here yesterday. The telegram said:

"Will be free here within a few days. Am sure this terrible charge will be dropped. Am coming directly to you there. Keep all my things there until I come.

[Signed] "JESSIE."

The Federal officers were in touch with the prosecuting officials in Chicago yesterday, but the progress of matters there was delayed. It was expected that much valuable information extremely pertinent to the progress of the government's case against Miss Cope on a charge of attempted bribery may be contained in certain luggage which she has stored here, according to the government officers who are keeping a close watch upon it.

In the meantime, a mass of mail has collected for the maid of Marshalltown. Bills and invitations and numerous other subjects for mail matter that might come to a most dignified and conventional woman like the colonel's "Girl of the Golden West" have accumulated. There is a bottle of perfume, an extremely rare and choice product for the dressing-table, awaiting the call of Miss Cope. It was sent from a foreign city, and on the box which contains the crushed fragrance of violets, is the legend, "produced for exclusive use and production limited."

An exceedingly rich monogram rides aloft on the package.

The luxurious apartments which Miss Cope and her mother, Mrs. Lana Cope, occupied, are still held subject to their order, and are kept in complete readiness for their arrival. A draper called at the apartment yesterday and asked permission to measure cegain parts of the wall, as he said that he had a commission from the East to arrange certain panels for the room, preparatory to the arrival of the mistress sometime during the month.

Last night the fire was again burning in the grate, the dull gray curtains were drawn just to the angle the artistic appreciation of the maid from Marshalltown most enjoyed, and the entire effect of the apartment was gray, subdued gray, a gray not unlike the color of steel bars.

Mrs. Eulalia or "Ula" Stroud Cope,

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Alternative.

VOLCANO LAKE LEVEE PROJECT IS INDORSED.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA delegates to the Colorado River conference in Washington, to be held December 16, yesterday decided to support the Kettner measure, providing for an appropriation of $200,000 to raise the levee of Volcano Lake, between the Colorado River and Imperial Valley.

A conference of the delegates who will leave here next Friday was held yesterday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce, when a plan of action was agreed upon. The Imperial and Los Angeles delegates were divided over the project to support at the coming conference at Washington. It was finally agreed, however, that the interests of Imperial would be best conserved by the support of the Kettner bill than by asking for an appropriation of $1,000,000 or more to close the Bee River gap and throw the river back into its former course.

The delegates felt that inasmuch as there is no tangible government in Mexico to deal with and because the prospect for a larger appropriation is not bright, the Volcano Lake project is more probable of consummation by government aid. Notwithstanding this, it was shown to the delegates that the lake levee plan is not feasible, that the constant raising of the levee would be necessary to keep abreast of the trend of the Colorado River.

At the conference yesterday all of the interests affected by Colorado River control were given a hearing. The party which will go to Washington Friday consists of Leroy Holt and M. W. Conkling of Imperial, Isidore Dockweiler, W. J. Doran and Willis H. Booth of Los Angeles. Later ex-Senator Flint will go East to help out in the matter.

By Compromise.

SAVE FIVE YEARS IN SETTLING BIG ESTATE.

A COMPROMISE agreement was reached yesterday between the local heirs of Mrs. Arcadia B. de Baker and thirty-one eastern claimants, relatives of Abel Stearns, her first husband. The claimants, who sued for the entire $7,000,000 estate, accepted $50,000 in cash and a note for $704,429.

The negotiations were conducted by Attorney O'Melveny, representing the administrator of the estate, and Attorney McKinley, representing the eastern claimants. The agreement will have the effect of dismissing an appeal taken to the State Supreme Court by the Stearns relatives from the ruling of the local Superior Court, denying their rights.

"This is a long step toward clearing the estate from litigation," Attorney O'Melveny said yesterday afternoon. "This agreement has saved us about five-years' time. We have now to consider the claims of Robert M. Bandini, who says he is the grandnephew of Mrs. de Baker. If that fact is established, he will be entitled to one-eighth of the estate. Besides this case, there are only a few odds and ends standing against the final distribution of the estate."

The note, turned over to the Stearns relatives, was executed by R. A. Rowan & Co. at the time of the purchase of 2600 acres of land from the estate for $1,903,000 in January, 1913. It bears interest at 5 per cent.

The Stearns relatives, most of whom live in Massachusetts, turned their interests over to these five trustees: William Stearns Simmons, E. A. Onthank, Hamilton Mayo, R. E. Joslin and Theodore L. Frothingham.

Deeds conveying an interest in the estate to the Massachusetts claimants was filed with the County Recorder late yesterday afternoon. According to the papers filed with the deeds, these De Baker heirs will receive the following amounts when the estate is distributed:

Juan J. Carrillo, $211,000; Dolores C. Craner, $211,000; Arcadia C. Smurr, $211,000; Conception Carrillo, $184,000; Estella C. Dowling, $184,000; Amanda Lewis, $62,500; Jessie K. Fisher, $62,500; Alfred R. Carrillo, $25,000; Laura F. Carrillo, $25,000; Maria Antonia Scott, $199,000; Ysidora C. Fuller, $194,000; Elena I. Dear, $199,000; Caroline M. Winston, $199,000; William B. Couts, $194,000; Cave J. Couts, $192,000; Robert L. Couts, $199,000; John P. Couts, $199,000; Sara H. Freeman, $202,000; Juan B. Bandini, $202,000; Arcadia B. Gaffey, $407,000; Dolores R. Ward, $470,000; Dolores R. de Johnson, $726,000; Ralph Bandini and Elliott Bandini, each $355,000; and $119,400 each to Mamie W. Ogden, Virginia W. Castle, Margaret W. Woodward, Carolina Winston, Julia W. Flowers, James W. Winston and John B. Winston.

Mr. Stearns died in 1871. His widow was given all of his property, estimated at that time to be worth $125,000. The father and mother of Mr. Stearns died prior to the death of Mrs. De Baker and other heirs, including brothers and sisters of Mr. Stearns, passed away prior to the widow's death.

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STATE LAW IS HANCE'S GUIDE.

SAYS BURK'S PLANS DO NOT OFFER BETTERMENTS.

City Treasurer Declares He Keeps as Little Revenue on Hand as will Meet Immediate Demands—Public Works Board to Reply to Efficiency Director this Week.

No violent stretch of imagination is required to conceive that the Board of Public Works does not agree with Municipal Efficiency Director Burks in his contention that $1,000,000 a year can be saved by the city doing its own street improvement and other public work instead of letting it by contract.

Just what points of difference are the striking features has not been made public, but it is no secret that Commissioner Osborne, on behalf of the board, is preparing a reply to the statements issued by the efficiency expert. This statement will be issued within a short time, possibly today; at any rate within the present week.

From another source came a criticism of Mr. Burks's statements yesterday. City Treasurer Hance resented the statements regarding the handling of city funds, declaring that his actions are controlled by State law, and that he hopes Mr. Burks will not have an opportunity to "tinker" with that law.

The City Treasurer says:

"Mr. Burks keeps harping on what the city is losing by the treasury not being handled in a different way. His amendments do not offer a way and could not, for the State law does not admit of any other than that now in force.

"I understand his idea is that time deposits would increase the city's revenue on deposits, which would be entirely out of the question. If the Treasurer does his duty, he will under the present law, keep his surplus employed, keeping as little revenue on hand as in his judgment will meet immediate demands. There are times when little revenue is coming in but heavy demands are being made upon the treasury. In such case what would be the result if the city's money was tied up in time deposits?

"I doubt very much if the present law (a State law) can be improved upon, at any rate I sincerely hope Mr. Burks won't have an opportunity to tinker with it."

LACK OF JURISDICTION.

Supreme Court Knocks Out San Bernardino Receiver for Gibraltar Investment Company.

The Supreme Court yesterday decided a case of interest to California corporations and their stockholders, holding as illegal the appointment of a receiver for the Gibraltar Investment Company by the Superior Court of San Bernardino county, on jurisdictional grounds. It was further announced that a permanent writ of prohibition checking further proceedings on the part of the receiver would be granted if the petitioner for the writ, C. Edgar Elliott, could prove the existence of a claim held by him against the company for $65,000.

The San Bernardino court appointed a receiver in an action growing out of a suit filed by the Brookings Lumber and Timber Company against the Gibraltar Investment Company for the recovery of $876.56, alleged to be due for supplies furnished the defendant corporation. It was also alleged that at the time the bill was made the Gibraltar Investment Company was insolvent. The San Bernardino court appointed S. F. Kelly as receiver of the concern. It will be recalled that about that time a number of the stockholders who held mortgage liens on certain water rights and other assets became active, and complaints were made to postoffice inspectors against the management, alleging a lack of consideration for the stockholders.

The Supreme Court decided that testimony should be taken in San Francisco next Monday to determine whether Elliott holds a valid claim against the corporation and, if that is established, a permanent writ of prohibition will issue.

PLEADS FOR JAIL TERM.

Martin Concannon was his own lawyer in Police Court yesterday, but contrary to the usual method he conducted his own prosecution. Arrested at his own request on a charge of vagrancy, Concannon had a hard time to get into jail. After an earnest plea Judge Frederickson gave the man the desired sentence of thirty days in the Eastside Jail.

Messenger of Mercy.

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geles and San Francisco chambers that they would head a relief movement for the State, was to put its foot down hard on fancy contributions.

BULK VS. QUALITY.

"People are starving, bulk is more essential than quality," was the gist of a message received by the Los Angeles chamber. "Also the people of Belgium are used to coarse-wheat bread, not fancy-bolted, as we are."

As the great winches puffed and shrieked yesterday and the boatswains' whistles sounded, the work went on of filling the gaping maws of the traveling grocery store, for that is what the Camino will be today as the great forty-foot pennant, with the lettering "Commission Belgian Relief," breaks out from the "fore and half-staff," and she sinks, hull down, on her long way.

Below hatches will be found everything raised in California that is edible, from sea food to pink-eyed beans. In fact, the ship's manifest reads like a catalogue of California's agricultural products. It is a cargo such as perhaps never before left this harbor for a foreign land, and that will cement relations of amity and good will that will reach half way around the globe.

And every box, every barrel, every bag bears the label "From California." And the ship, it is California-made, too, the product of the Craig Shipbuilding Company of Long Beach, the largest all-steel vessel ever launched in Southern California. Swain & Hoyt, the chartering company, is also a California concern, so the unities of "From California" are thoroughly preserved.

BROTHER OFFICERS.

An interesting feature in connection with the voyage is that three brothers, all brought up in American ships, are officers of the Camino. They are Capt. K. A. Ahlin, First Officer V. Ahlin and Third Officer A. Ahlin. M. Kerr is second officer and F. W. Bell chief engineer.

A. A. Moran, manager of Swain & Hoyt, came here from San Francisco to superintend the loading. The cost of chartering the boat and the insurance on the cargo to Rotterdam, $60,000, is to be paid by the American Commission for Belgian Relief.

The loading of another boat under the same arrangement was suggested yesterday by the commission in a telegram received by the Chamber of Commerce, with the difference that the commission offers to purchase such supplies as funds will permit, as an addition to the cargo, in the primary food-producing centers of this and adjoining States.

"The food need of Belgium," says the telegram, "is a continuing one and we wish to send one ship each month or six weeks from San Francisco and Los Angeles, carrying on them what food may be donated and collected in the zones naturally shipping through your State ports. Will you take the subject up with committees of your State and advise us as to your decision?"

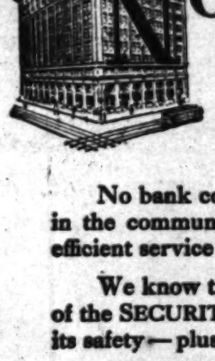
HOTEL MAN BANKRUPT.

Former Lessee of Two Important Los Angeles Hotels Goes Broke With Large Liabilities.

William D. Church, manager of the St. James Hotel, San Diego, and formerly lessee of the Howell Terrace apartments and the Hotel Pepper, in this city, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court yesterday. He schedules his debts at $36,695.57, of which amount $21,395.42 are unsecured. His assets amount to $5870, and of this sum $5000 is the value of a furniture contract with Pease Brothers, who are creditors of the petitioner to the extent of $15,001.75. There are several hundred creditors.

The Electric Automobile Company of Long Beach, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court, yesterday. The debts are $2437.91, the assets, $2200.

Paul S. Scott, a show case manufacturer of this city, owes $1923.41 and has assets of the value of $247.25, according to his petition filed in the bankruptcy court yesterday.



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who was brought into telegraphic connection with the case, is not at all conversant with the details other than those read in the papers and has never met any of the persons mentioned.

"The fact that our personal descriptions tally in a large measure and that one of my initials is the same, appears to be the only reason why I and the other Miss Cope have been confounded," said Mrs. Cope at the Lankershim Hotel yesterday. She is the auditor of that hotel and has been in Los Angeles during the past four years, most of that time with the same hotel.

"A native of California, I have never been in Iowa and have never met Col. Alexander during his various visits to Los Angeles," she said. "Nor do I know Miss Cope, who is not related in any way to my family as far as I have been able to ascertain."

TRUE WORTH HAS ITS RECOGNITION.

HADLEY MEMORIAL HOME HONORS MEMORY OF INVALID DIRECTOR.

Greater honor and respect could not have been paid to the memory of any man than fell to the lot of James Carey Willoughby, house director of the Hadley Memorial Home on Towne avenue, who died on Saturday, and whose burial took place yesterday.

This pathetic figure—weak, wan and helpless—lived for twelve years in an invalid chair, dependent upon others to move him from place to place, the result of a broken neck. Had he been the most robust specimen of manhood, making his personality felt by the most active participation in the affairs of the home, he could not have been more highly respected and admired for his qualities of mind and heart, nor gone to his grave with higher evidences of esteem from those who knew him best.

The little chapel was well filled yesterday afternoon with Episcopal clergymen, benevolent men and women, and workers among the poor, eager to pay their final tribute to his worth. Bishop Johnson was present as a sincere mourner at the bier; the service was conducted by Dr. William MacCormack, dean of St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral, assisted by Archdeacon Marshall, and following the simple but impressive services, the body was taken to Forest Lawn Cemetery for interment.

IDENTIFIED AS ROBBER.

Mexican Confesses Participation in Several Hold-ups After He is Recognized by Victim.

Identified by Felix Ramirez as one of two bandits who held him up and robbed him of $33 November 19, Francisco Gomez, arrested early last night by Detectives Rico and Leon, confessed to the police that he has taken part in several hold-ups about the city.

Gomez was arrested by the detectives as a suspicious person and later in the evening identified by Ramirez, who upon the night of the hold-up was severely cut by one of the bandits.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are telegrams at the Western Union for Mollie Booth, S. L. Branch, W. N. Freeman, Guy A. Gnash, Nikolay Godanoff, John Gregory, Lauth Juergens, John Martin, C. A. McNeill, Gus Mathews and May G. Skiffington. At the Postal for Stephen S. Chase, Jr., Navajo Film Company, R. L. Carruth, W. W. Young, William E. White, J. H. Stewart, Mrs. H. Ramos, C. E. Hill, Lawrence Hanbury, George E. Wilson, Sr., Mrs. M. Garnett and Mrs. H. R. Garside.

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WOULD CONTROL JITNEY BUSSES.

Lieutenant of Police Makes Recommendations.

Serious Increase in Street Accidents Cited.

Woman Dies of Hurts Due to Nickel-chaser.

Two reports on "jitney" busses will be in the City Hall today; one giving the record of the death of Mrs. Mary E. Keller of No. 1614 Pleasant avenue, and one from Lieut. Butler of the traffic squad making recommendations regarding more rigid police supervision of this class of motor vehicle.

Coincident with the filing of the report of Lieut. Butler comes the death of Mrs. Keller, who was struck down Monday by a "jitney" bus, dragged 30 feet and ground beneath the wheels of the machine. Mrs. Keller died yesterday from fracture of the skull, due to the accident. Jacob Shmailig of No. 134 North Utah street, driver of the machine, was locked in the City Jail and is held for manslaughter.

This accident, say the police, illustrates what they call the incompetence of the average "jitney" bus driver. During the last month three deaths were due to automobile accidents. Of this number two are laid at the doors of the nickel-chasers. Mrs. Keller's death makes four due to automobile accidents within the last thirty-five days. Three of these were caused by the drivers of "jitney" busses.

Lieut. Butler confesses his inability to make a week-old report cover the "jitney" bus situation. Since he filed his report and recommendations with the Chief, a week ago, the number of nickel-chasers in the city has increased from 800 to 1000 and the hour in operation ordinarily has increased from 700 to 900.

POLICE REPORT.

The report follows in part:

"In the matter of public safety I find that while this class of vehicle constitutes less than 3 per cent. of the total of motor vehicles in the city, the record of accidents for the seven days from November 17 to 23, inclusive, shows that there was a total of 210 accidents on the streets of the city, eleven being cases in which one or more of these vehicles figured, one-fifth of which resulted in personal injury. These figures show that the average number of accidents per day has increased from 14.9 in October to 22.2 per day for the period named. Of the total accidents recorded this class of vehicle was involved in more than 26 per cent. and 20 per cent. of the personal injuries were caused in accidents in which vehicles of this class were involved.

"This abnormal increase in accidents, many of which occur among this class of vehicle, indicates that there exists incompetence or recklessness or both, among a large percentage of the drivers. I am convinced that both exist. We are able to a certain extent to suppress the latter of these conditions, but the former is difficult to determine without a system of examinations.

"NEED DRIVERS NEEDED.

"I believe that the drivers of these busses should be above the average in their ability to drive safely in the crowded streets, inasmuch as a large portion of their operations are in the business district. I can see no way of obtaining drivers of this class except through a system of examination. I believe that in order to relieve congestion at the crossings, where their frequent stops, a certain space be set aside where they may stop and discharge passengers, after leaving that point they must keep moving unless unavoidably stopped, that is, not to stop at all.

"The most frequent complaints from people who have been struck by busses hanging on the outside of the machine, and the fact that one passenger has been killed and another hurt by falling from the running board, emphasises the necessity of considering this phase of the business.

"I believe the applicant should state the route which he proposes to follow. At the present time a man may frequently does, operate a bus one day in one part of the city and another part in some other section, making it practically impossible to prove to locate an operator who has been shown for any reason to keep accidents where the operator belongs to another section of the city."

HELPS SCIENCE.

Surgery Will be Developed by Doctors, Declares Angeleno Home Europe.

Dr. John A. Colliver, formerly Junior physician, reached Los Angeles today from Europe, having left behind the scenes of the great war, bringing back many personal impressions. One of the results of the war, from a surgical point of view, he says, the development of surgery.

"Surgery in peace times form the subject matter coming before the medical men, but many thousands of soldiers are coming into Netley, Paris and London and other hospital phases. One soldier Dr. Colliver describes, was hit by a machine gun cartridge in the center of the forehead, the bullet coming out at the back of his head. The brain between the two hemispheres of the brain. He was brought to Netley where Dr. Colliver was stationed and formed an interesting case study from a scientific standpoint.

"The surgeon has been absent from England eighteen months. He was called to Vienna and was appointed head of the Children's Hospital when the war broke out he went to Berlin and thence to London. His passage was furnished him on the steamer Lake Manitoba and he landed in Canada, making his way to New York.

"The horrors of the war are past description. When actual hostilities began, the bands stopped playing, the music of Vienna and Berlin deserted. Then the wounded came in and the hospitals were crowded. In Berlin, I am told, between 18 and 40, all men doing work in the

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HIGH FINANCE TOLD IN COURT.

ATTORNEY GIVEN HEARING ON FRAUD CHARGE.

Defense Creates Sensation by Alleging Howard Huntington is Financing Prosecution of His Former Chum, Accused of Obtaining Large Sum by False Pretenses.

Financial deals involving millions of dollars, princely estates, the purchase of a $100,000 Pasadena palace, and innumerable high finance operations were brought to light yesterday in the preliminary hearing of Eugene E. Hewlett, attorney, bon-vivant, and former chum of Howard Huntington, on a charge of obtaining $34,000 by false pretenses from Reginald H. Gernon, a wealthy Irishman of Altadena. If Mr. Gernon's allegations are true, the debonair defendant can show Mr. Wallingford a trick or two about the highly interesting game of finance. Mr. Hewlett strongly denies the charges and it will be up to Justice Forbes this afternoon to decide whether Mr. Hewlett shall be compelled to face a jury in the higher criminal court or go free.

Attorney Vermilyea, for the defendant, created a sensation when he charged that Attorney Le Compte Davis, leading criminal lawyer, who was made a special Deputy District Attorney to assist in the prosecution of Mr. Hewlett, is paid by Howard Huntington. Mr. Hewlett is alleged to have "got into" Mr. Huntington to the tune of $60,000 or more. It has been placed as high as $500,000. Mr. Davis denied the accusation and declared he is representing Mr. Gernon and him alone. Mr. Vermilyea also said Mr. Gernon was offered $200 a month annuity by Mr. Huntington to prosecute the case against the lawyer-clubman. Mr. Gernon denied this with considerable heat and referred to it as "piffle."

Mr. Huntington, who was a classmate of Mr. Hewlett at Harvard, and who, it is alleged, was induced to sign in Hewlett's name land and other property valued at nearly $2,000,000, will probably testify against the defendant this morning in Justice Forbes's court. Several other multi-millionaires who trusted Mr. Hewlett implicitly will also be called as witnesses.

Mr. Gernon, who was the first witness, told how he met Mr. Hewlett at the University Club in Redlands in February, 1912. At that time Mr. Gernon was in need of ready money. His health was impaired by a bullet wound which he had received in the Boer War. At the Pottinger Sanatorium Mr. Gernon was told that he could live only a short time. It was shortly after a literal death sentence had been pronounced on Mr. Gernon that Mr. Hewlett is said to have first suggested an arrangement whereby it was made to appear that Mrs. Gernon would be taken care of in the event of her husband's death.

Mr. Gernon testified yesterday that Mr. Hewlett represented that he was worth $2,000,000 in real estate and bonds and that he was a bosom friend of Howard Huntington and associate of a dozen other millionaires. "He told me on February 6, 1912," said Mr. Gernon, "that if I would deed him my orange ranch and give him $10,000 in cash he would give me an annuity for life of $250 a month or $3000 a year. And in case of death, my wife was to receive the same amount each year.

"We were partners in the Pacific Coast Motor Company for nearly a year. When Mr. Hewlett asked me to go in the company with him he told me that he owned $500,000 worth of land in the San Fernando Valley, a $100,000 mansion at Oak Knoll, $1,000,000 worth of real estate, and railway bonds and other valuable properties.

"How long did he continue to pay the $250 a month?" asked Attorney Davis.

"Several months and then he quit cold," said Mr. Gernon.

"Has he ever given you anything since that time?" he was asked.

"He gave me an electric runabout which I sold and cleaned up about $100, and also a check for $50," said the witness.

The hearing was continued till this morning.

A civil suit involving securities and moneys to the aggregate of $600,000 was recently filed against Mr. Hewlett. He is alleged to have induced two of the Wenban sisters of San Francisco to issue bonds aggregating $1,000,000 for improvements on their industrial property in that city. He is alleged to have taken half the amount with the understanding that he would raise money for proposed improvements.

Determined.

COMB CITY FOR AUTO THIEVES.

DETECTIVES REDOUBLE EFFORTS TO BREAK UP GANG.

Two Suspects Closely Questioned, Another to be Tried Today—More Than One Machine a Day Stolen Lately; Two Recovered—Others Probably Altered to be Sold Again.

Convinced that an organized band of automobile crooks is making this city its headquarters, detectives detailed to hunt down these thieves yesterday redoubled their efforts. Two young colored men, awaiting trial on charges of stealing two automobiles, were closely questioned by Detective Hickok. Today a complaint charging grand larceny will probably be placed against one of these youths, Dave Pollock. Edgar Washington of No. 138 South Avenue 19 will come up for trial today in the Juvenile Court.

Since November 20, according to police records, an average of over one machine a day has been reported stolen. Two of these have been recovered. Others are believed to have been stripped and altered for sale by the thieves. Machines are reported stolen from the following:

H. M. Brandel, No. 135 South Olive street, two-passenger Ford; Mrs. F. N. Brown, No. 1746 Wilcox street, five-passenger Ford; G. A. Williams, No. 425 Cedar street, Glendale, five-passenger Ford; G. W. Brown, No. 740 Catalina street, six-passenger Studebaker; E. F. Babbitt, No. 1101 Lafayette street, five-passenger Ford; W. R. O'Brien, No. 216½ East Fifth street, five-passenger Ford; L. E. Crowe, No. 1228 South Flower street, five-passenger Marathon; C. M. Whittock, No. 924 East Tenth street, seven-passenger Maxwell.

FIGHTS DEPORTATION.

Wealthy Japanese of Fresno, Alleged White Slaver, Victim of Enemies, Declares Attorney.

H. Iwata of Fresno, a Japanese, reported to be worth $100,000, yesterday attempted to obtain his liberty through a writ of habeas corpus and to avoid deportation on charges of harboring and sharing in the profits of alien women. The matter was taken under advisement by Judge Bledsoe, who said he would render an opinion at an early date. Iwata is at liberty $2000 bail.

City Attorney Smith of Fresno, who represented the defendant, contended there was no evidence to substantiate the charges. He alleged a clique of Japanese who are anxious to get rid of Iwata are behind the prosecution. The government officials strongly deny this.

Iwata was arrested in Fresno in December, 1913, by Immigration Inspector Brazie. Three charges were lodged against him, each one pertaining to white slavery, and he was ordered deported by the Immigration Department in Washington.

SHEPARD ARRAIGNED.

Frederick M. Shepard and A. C. Brown, charged with smuggling smoking opium, were arraigned in the United States District Court yesterday and were given a week to plead. The bail of Brown was reduced to $2500, on motion of his attorneys. The trials will be set in January.

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TORONTO, CAN.
You quite unfairly, as it seems to me, quote opinions favoring the German side of the question, while you almost entirely omit any quotations favoring the other side.

HAMILTON, ONT.
Why do you cater to the Germanic race in America?

The Toronto World.
They (the Kaiser and his friends) have persuaded the usually judicial LITERARY DIGEST to publish everything that could be found favorable to the Kaiser and his contention, until that periodical, eminently able and, as a rule, eminently fair, has become a dyed-in-the-wool partizan.

TORONTO, CAN.
I regret that the tone of your editors' comments in the few places where they are made conveys an impression distinctly disagreeable to one living under the British flag.

TORONTO, CAN.
I wonder that you and your organization pretend to be anything else than patriotic Germans of the Fatherland who as yet have not even become naturalized in the United States, and that evidently being the case I am surely wasting good ammunition in paper and ink which, as a matter of fact, were you in your proper place in the German Army, should be good British lead and powder.

TORONTO, CAN.
It is to be hoped that you will advise your editors, who are undoubtedly pro-German . . . to be more fair regarding the Allies.

MONCTON, N. B.
You have descended to unfair and insidious partisanship and are defending a cause and condoning crimes that are a disgrace to civilization.

We Favor the Allies

MILWAUKEE, WIS.
Is it not strange that in your perusal of the press, all articles should have escaped your notice with the exception of those which take a stand for the Triple Entente?

MILWAUKEE, WIS.
In a number of your articles your writings come out a little too strongly anti-German. Is this necessary?

OAKLAND, CAL.
Have liked your paper always, but since the war you seem partial to the English.

HANKINSON, N. D.
You give the English too much space in your paper, too much to be regarded as impartial.

MATVILLE, WIS.
You are not giving Germany a square deal in the hour of her trial.

AKRON, OHIO.
Looking through THE DIGEST, I was amazed, astounded, and shocked beyond description to see that your people had printed a caricature of Emperor Wilhelm II. . . . comparing Kaiser Wilhelm with that blood-thirsty, thieving usurper Napoleon. . . . Unless you can explain to my satisfaction this slur on all fair-minded and impartial people, you may consider me a non-subscriber, as I shall do everything in my power against you. . . . Let us have fair play.

MARIENE, WIS.
There is no room in my house for a paper which like yours shows such partiality against Germany, as is plainly seen in the way you are taking your selections from the different papers. There is no doubt that you have joined the ranks of the yellow, narrow-minded Cossack press of this country which tries, altho on your part in a more gentle way, to arouse prejudice against Germany.

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TREND OF THE FINANCIAL NEWS.

CHIEF EVENTS OF YESTERDAY.

(At Home:) Notice of a resumption of nearly normal conditions on the New York Stock Exchange next Saturday was an immense impetus to general financial transactions. Prices of many railway and industrial stocks were sent higher, and the inquiry broadened appreciably. The business done in the bond market was the largest since the closing on July 30. Commercial business is showing its usual strength, the easy money rates and the huge surplus of the Federal reserve banks lending confidence to those looking into the future for large transactions. Wheat eased off because of a slackening in the export demand, and speculators took occasion to get their profits.

(Abroad:) The Paris bourse reopened after being closed since September 1. Trading was only fair for the first session, but the market was good and closed strong.

A DISASTER.

We are sincerely sorry to learn that Marie Corelli has been seriously injured in an automobile accident. We do not mean to laugh when we say we trust that the lady has not been wounded in the imagination.

ENOUGH OF WAR.

The world will regret that, one by one, the little Balkan states are caught in the dragnet of Europe's great war. They have suffered enough in settling their own differences without being embroiled in this frightful turmoil.

STRANGE CONTRASTS.

An impotent soul in a youthful body must sometimes match its spiritual improvidence with the poverty of age and it sometimes happens also that a beautiful soul masked by deformity will attract virility and loveliness for its mate.

NEAR-SIGHTED.

Charles M. Seay, director for the Edison studio in New York, says that Gotham and its environs supply the best field in the western world for the motion-picture maker. Fortunately the gentleman's defect of vision is not shared by a majority of movie concerns. Of course he is only making the best of a bad situation, for if New York had the beauty it would still lack in sunshine. Pictures cannot be made without light. Los Angeles alone has both.

PASSENGERS BY PANAMA.

Passenger service through the Panama Canal from New York to San Francisco has fairly opened. A steamer of the American-Hawaiian Line left New York November 21 and is about due at San Pedro, and the J. L. Luckenbach left later the succeeding week with every cabin taken.

The agents of the European Steamships Company in New York report that ocean travel will be 65 per cent. below normal this winter on account of the war. For the first time since 1884 there will be no tourist steamer service on the Nile. None of the big liners of the Cedric and Germania class will leave New York for Italy and Alexandria this season, and only the smaller steamships of the White Star and Cunard line will run between New York and Liverpool.

DOWN TO BUSINESS.

It is a satisfaction to note that Frohman will in the future pay royalties on the scenarios his company accepts and that he will also pay from $100 to $500 down in addition to the regular 5 per cent. received by playwrights from the houses of legitimate drama. This is practical, of course, only to big amusements, yet motion pictures have assumed large proportions, and such a plan of payment for authors invites the attention of better writers. Frohman does not mean to accept anything of the slapstick order, yet he desires comedies because the world wants to smile, if not to laugh. He will not accept any dramatisation of other people's stories or novels, but will insist upon originality, and this, we think, is a step in the right direction.

RETURNING A SALUTE.

Turkey explains that her battery at Smyrna fired on the United States cruiser Tennessee in order to stop that vessel from entering a part of the harbor that was mined—satisfactory.

During the Spanish War one of our cruisers entered the harbor of Guam and fired at a fort from which the Spanish flag was floating. After a few minutes the flag was lowered and the commander of the American ship, taking this to be a token of surrender, ordered the firing to be discontinued.

Shortly afterwards a boat was seen approaching, with the Spanish flag on its stern, the seat in which boat was occupied by a gold-epauletted, gold-laced and gold-buttoned Senor Don Generalissimo Jesus de Whiskerando, commander of the Island of Guam. This gentleman, it seems, had not heard that war had broken out between the United States and Spain. He supposed that the gun from the cruiser was a salute. He visited the ship to acknowledge the courtesy. He brought with him the flag that had floated over the fortress because it was the only Spanish flag on the island and it was his duty to carry it with him when he paid an official visit. He regretted that there was not enough powder on the island to return the salute, but if his great and good friend, the captain of the honorable United States ship, would lend him sufficient powder he would cause the Spanish guns to belch forth their thunders in honor of Uncle Sam.

ARE WE PREPARED?

America is not expecting or wishing or intending to go to war with any country on earth; that is not saying but at the most unexpected or inopportune moment we may have war thrust upon us. The better prepared we are, the less likely this is to happen.

Our army is small but efficient, and the spirit of our citizens is such that America could never be more than temporarily embarrassed by any hostile combination. At the same time we are far behind European nations in modern equipments

Our army has no armored aeroplanes and very few skilled aviators. We have no dirigibles.

Our army has no armored automobiles or gasoline-driven tractors for the rapid moving of heavy cannon. We have only 846 field guns. Our largest coast defense guns have a shorter range than the guns mounted on German or British dreadnaughts. Our artillery has no big mortars such as reduced the Belgian defenses, supposed beforehand to be impregnable.

Our navy lacks 20,000 men right now to man all our ships on a peace basis. Our torpedoes are not up to date, being mostly short range, known colloquially as "popgun" torpedoes. Alaska is absolutely defenseless in case of attack by a modern navy, our Pacific possessions are not much better off, and the coast towns of California require more adequate defense.

We have the men to volunteer, we are invincible on our own continent, but for lack of equipment we might suffer incalculable loss before we got our forces into complete working order. Are we prepared to resist the attacks of a strong foe should the attack be made during the next six months? If we are not, the Democratic administration is not doing its duty by the country.

PRESIDENTIAL EAVESDROPPING.

The President's tentative suggestion that he may attend in person the sessions of the Senate has produced some painful comments from the press. The general opinion seems to be that, since the Senate will say unpleasant things about the President and his policies anyway, it will be so much less embarrassing if he does not elect to hear them.

Even if the Senate doesn't actually say unpleasant things about the President, it is taken for granted that they will want to, and that such a time-honored privilege should not be hampered by the presence of the Presidential ear.

That is probably why the custom has sunk into desuetude; eavesdroppers usually hear unpleasant things about themselves, and the Senate evidently regards the Presidential presence as a sort of eavesdropping which should receive prompt discouragement.

In many cases there seems to be a fear that the President would thus be able to bring greater influence to bear on the Senate—that many a man who would speak his whole heart and mind behind the President's back might, with the Presidential eye fixed sternly upon him, modify his language to insipidity. Which is probably exactly what the President thinks.

The President is understood to argue that since the Prime Minister is always present at debates in the House of Commons in England, and that the presence of Ministers of the government facilitates the elucidating of many questions, since answers can be obtained on the spot, it would be an equally good plan to try in the United States. But the majority of papers seem to think not. It is pointed out that while the Prime Minister is responsible to Parliament, the Senate is responsible to the Executive. But after all, that argument works both ways, too. For Parliament certainly considers it desirable to keep a stern eye on the Prime Minister, and why not the President on the Senate?

CHARITY BEGINS AT HOME.

It is said that 80,000 families in New York City have been evicted from their quarters for non-payment of rent, and a "charity-begins-at-home" society has been formed to ask that not all the funds collected from the charitable be sent to Europe, but that a portion be diverted to relieve distress at home.

During our Civil War no contributions either to the United States sanitary fund or the relief of destitute Confederates were received from Europe. Later on no money was sent from Germany or France to relieve the Johnstown sufferers, and the San Francisco earthquake fire was not followed by generous cash contributions from London.

We should not allow these circumstances to restrain us from giving, and giving liberally, to relieve suffering Belgians and Germans. But let us not altogether neglect our own poor whom we have always with us. "The man that provideth not for his own household is worse than the infidel."

GERMANY DEALS WITH THE FOOD PROBLEM.

The German government does not confine the use of its supervisory powers to the army. It exercises a guardianship over the people to the extent of guarding against food shortage and preventing speculation in the necessaries of life.

The Norddeustsche Zeitung of Berlin says in an official announcement:

"We have farinaceous material enough to feed army and people until next harvest. We must, however, economize our reserves in hand. We owe it to our brothers fighting abroad to see that after the military and political successes gained by them on the battlefield, there is no anxiety with regard to the provision of supplies for home consumption. We want to be able to go through with the war in all circumstances until we have obtained the assurance of a lasting peace."

A press dispatch from Berlin says that the government has passed decrees regulating the employment and consumption of the various cereals available and fixing maximum prices for them. Germany has an abundant supply of rye, oats and potatoes, but is short sixty millions of bushels of wheat and ninety millions of bushels of barley. To meet the conditions millers have been ordered to extract 75 per cent. of flour from the wheat. Bakers have been instructed to employ 10 per cent. of rye meal in the making of wheaten loaves, while rye bread must contain not less than 5 per cent. and not more than 30 per cent. of potato meal. Each loaf of bread must be stamped with a statement of its contents, and bakers are prohibited from making any bread other than as prescribed.

Farmers are prohibited from feeding their cattle on edible cereal. The price of wheat in Berlin has been limited to $2 per bushel, of rye to $1.70 per bushel and of barley to $1.60 per bushel. These prices will hold good until December 31, 1914, after which they will be subject to a monthly increase of about 1 cent per bushel.

The prices fixed for cereals are not greatly in excess of those which prevailed before the war. Wheat has not advanced in price at all for the reason that cattle raisers believe they will not be able to carry their entire stock through the winter.

Of potatoes there is an abundance in Germany. These can be dried or converted into starch from which bread can be made.

No complaint is made of a shortage of food or of high prices in either France, Russia or Great Britain. The area of cultivation of the cereals for next year will be greatly increased on the continent. The governments are giving close attention to the food supplies, and however long the war may continue and whatever problems it may present, it seems probable that the food supply for the people will not be one of them.

SOUTHERN DOMINATION.

In the next Congress the South is in the saddle and it is there to stay from March, 1915, to March, 1917.

There are 227 Democrats elected to the Sixty-fourth Congress. Of these 122 are from Southern States. Even if the eight members from Louisiana should, on account of free sugar, refuse to enter the Democratic caucus, the South would still be in a majority.

The southern members will dominate the committees of the House, and all the important chairmanships will go to them. The northern Democrats are becoming very restive at the prospect of southern caucus control of legislation. An eastern exchange says: "Not only do they object to domination by the southerners, it is said, but they think it very unwise, from a general political point of view, that the South should persist in asserting sectional power." Says the Washington Herald in an editorial:

"The Republicans are certain to make political capital out of it, and the only way in which the Democrats can neutralize the attack is to keep the South in the background. If the southern Democrats, conscious of their majority, should agree to self-abnegation, the path of the northern Democrats would be much easier to travel."

Democratic Congressmen are not, as a rule, given to self-abnegation. Self-effacement is not a prominent virture in a Democrat. He does not say, "After you, my dear Alphonse."

With some southerners the war is not over. They discriminate in favor of Confederate veterans in the distribution of patronage.

When Congress convenes at noon the Stars and Stripes are hoisted on the roof of the House of Representatives. When the House adjourns the flag is lowered. The duty of hoisting the flag was committed last winter by the Sergeant-at-Arms to a Tammany politician. The duty of lowering it was entrusted to a South Carolina "majah" who was thus enabled daily to enjoy a luxury not accorded to him during the Civil War.

SUSPECTED OF MOTIVE.

The British War Office has caused consternation among the poor of Scotland by ordering an end to all fishing. Perhaps the Secretary of War would like to recommend fighting as a substitute occupation.

Saving the Country Over Again.

A DISAPPOINTMENT.

We are sorry for it yet it seems to be a fact that many playwrights are capable of evolving brilliant situations without the faculty of uttering a single good line. The Burbank this week is producing in admirable fashion a play that is highly diverting and one based on an excellent idea, yet it has not the virtue of one intelligent speech. We do not mean by this that we think a play should ever preach, but only that it should sometimes sparkle.

"OUR SWEDE SERVANT."

By William F. Kirk.

"Your friend Jenkins lost his position today," said my wife, when we were seated at the dinner table. "It is too bad, too. He was getting fifteen thousand dollars a year, and his wife was saying just the other day that she hoped they would make it twenty thousand, so she could make both ends meet. You know they keep up appearances."

"Ay tenk it ban a shame," declared our Swede servant, setting down the roast with a slam. "Ay tal yu dis—Missus Yenkins ban spending too much money. Ay ban vorking about sax month for Missus Yenkins, and Ay bet yure life Ay know."

"That will be enough Steena!" said the wife. "You may bring in the salad now, and refrain from entering into our conversations."

"Ay got a dandy salad, too," said the unabashed Steena. "It ban yust so swell as Ay ever served for Missus Yenkins, and it don't cost yu only about one-earth part vat it used to cost her. Ay tal yu, yu ban a grand lady to vork for, because yu got some of dis har common sense. Dar ban a lot of ladies Ay vorked for vich ant got dis har common sense. Now, Missus Yenkins used to all the time getting mad ven Ay tal her how she can save money har and dar. She used to say to me, 'Steena, Ay hired yu to do yust vat Ay say,' and ven Ay tal her she ant knowing vat to say half of the time, she say, 'No more impertinence, please.' And so Ay can't help her to save any money, and Ay can't help her do anyteng, so Ay get vat American folks call dis har grand bounce. But Ay s'pose it ban best thing vich can happening to me, because now Ay ban vorking for a real lady and a gude, smart one, too."

"I wish I knew how I could go about it to impress on Steena that she should not interrupt our little talks," said my wife, "but she is such a sincere, faithful girl that I hate to let her go. She read an article when she first came here to work and the article was a strong appeal for free speech. I don't believe she has read anything since."

"Let me say something to her," I suggested.

"It wouldn't do a bit of good," declared my wife, "but you can try it. Here she comes now."

"Steena," I said, when our jewel of a servant was giving us the salad, "I wish that in the future you would not talk to us or with us when you are serving dinner."

"Ay never ban talking to anybody ven Ay ban serving dinner," was the proud rejoiner. "Ay ban a trained servant, and ven Ay ban serving dinner, Ay ban serving it. Ven Ay vant to talk, Ay stop serving, so yu and yure vife got a chance to hear vat Ay say and Ay got the same chance. Den ven Ay get tru talking, Ay began to serve dinner again. Some places var Ay used to vork Ay never said much anyho, but yu and yure vife ban smart people, yust lak me and my people, so Ay lak to wisit vith yu. Ay tenk dat vay all of us learn someteng, don't yu!"

"Is the dessert ready?" interrupted the wife, who plainly was at a loss as to how to answer the blonde's logic.

"Sure it ban ready," said Steena. "It ban ready and Ay skol shoot it in har yust lak it came out of one of dese har Yerman siege guns. It alvays ban a fine thing for a fine girl lak me to help out fine folks lak yu. Eat as fast as yu can. Ay ban going to dese har wiggling picters tonight."

AMERICAN SHIPS NEEDED.

BY WALTER J. BALLARD.

An address by Edward N. Hurley, vice-president of the Illinois Manufacturers' Association at New Orleans last week, brought up the matter of commerce and ships in a way to command attention. Mr. Hurley said that, with all the discussion going on, there has been little real progress toward a definite and satisfactory solution of the problem.

Some points made by Mr. Hurley may well appeal to the patriotism and common sense of our people. The speaker showed that at least 2000 ships, with an average capacity of from 3000 to 4000 tons each, are necessary to meet the requirements of foreign trade in normal times. A considerable number of ships built abroad have recently been admitted to American registry under the new provisions; yet thus far the vessels flying the Stars and Stripes are wholly inadequate to supply the demand. The consequence is that most of our goods sent across the seas are taken in British ships, the safety of which is assured by British naval superiority. What the matter amounts to, therefore, is this, comments the Times of Troy, N. Y.: "American foreign trade is chiefly dependent on the efficiency of the British navy. Should the British be beaten and another power get control of the seas we should have to transfer our foreign commerce to merchant craft of that nation in order to have proper protection in transit for our goods."

Such a situation is most discomfiting and humiliating to Americans who realize the full import of these facts. And conditions will grow worse instead of better should our foreign trade expand as now promised. The more goods we sent to other nations and the more we bought of them the larger would be the number of foreign ships required and the greater would be our reliance on foreign powers for protection.

What is urged in this connection is that our navigation laws, if responsible for the paralysis that has overtaken our mercantile marine, be repealed or amended and brought up to date; that it be made possible for capital to engage in operating American ships in overseas trade without risk of heavy loss; that every encouragement be given (by subsidies and otherwise) to the business of building and sailing such vessels, and that the merchant service, by training officers and men to efficiency, be made a valuable auxiliary to the navy. This has been done by every nation of maritime importance, and the lesson is obvious. When the European war began there was a great outburst of American sentiment demanding that "something be done for our mercantile marine." What has been done has accomplished very little. The privilege given foreign-built ships of flying the American flag is of value to them in time of war, when the neutral ensign affords safety. But the transfer does not make them really American ships. To get the right kind of vessels and of service and to make our overseas trade independent of foreign protection we must have our own ships, built in America, officered by Americans, manned as far as possible by Americans, and fitted to transport American goods and American passengers to every port of the world.

THE PRESS ON ALLIANCE IDEA.

One Hemisphere to the Other.

[New York World:] Whether it is possible to localize the war or not, the Latin-American suggestion that a conference of nations on this hemisphere be held is a good one. All have suffered severely in their finance and commerce, and all have had to meet many vexatious questions of neutrality.

No Hostile Spirit.

[Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph:] It is in no spirit of hostility to Europe that this South American movement has been started, but in harmony with the right of all nations to act in accordance with the first law of nature—self-preservation. Promulgation of the Monroe doctrine was an early assertion against Europe of a principle behind which is greater force and authority with this new baptism.

Advises Caution.

[Pittsburgh Dispatch:] There will be many who will hold that Washington's warning against entangling alliances holds as strongly against alliances on this continent as elsewhere; that the United States should take careful thought before placing itself in a position where it might become embroiled by the acts of allies over which it has no control.

Friendly Co-operation.

[New York Herald:] But all Americans will whole-heartedly indorse a policy of friendly co-operation. The fact that the suggestion comes as it does shows that with better understanding of the politics of this government the "menace of Monroeism" has been pretty completely dispelled from Latin-America.

Preserve National Faith.

[Baltimore American:] It is highly important to have inter-American trade cared for and as important to prevent the violations of national good faith that have been charged against several Latin-American States by reason of the difficulties that lie in the way of preventing breaches of neutrality.

RIPPLING RHYMES.

FARE THEE WELL.

Good-by, old friend, the iceman! You are a smooth and nice man, a kindly, genial soul; we do not need you longer; the winds are growing stronger, and we are buying coal. Now autumn is retreating, we spend our coin for heating our lowly, humble shack; to cook the morning sinkers we're buying slate and clinkers and forty kinds of slack. The coal man gets our dollars, and still for more he hollers, he has to have the price; our bin again he's filling, and so we have no shilling to throw away for ice. But cheer up, weeping iceman! You'll come back in a trice, man! The winter's gone so soon! Before we know what's chancing, the spring will be advancing, the sizzling days of June. Old Time's in such a hurry, in such a fret and flurry, a season's hardly here before it flies, a-gasping, and we are left here grasping the tail end of a year. The coal man hurts, dad rust him, but ere we've fully cussed him, his graft will fizzle out; a thaw the cold will slaughter, and from each roof the water will gurgle through a spout. Oh, then the iceman merry will take his dromedary, his donkey or cayuse, and drive around the city, and sing a hopeful ditty, and sell his frozen juice.

WALT MASON.

Pen Points: By

Hist; don't wake the [illegible] in session.

That Yser must be some [illegible] side appears to be able to hold it.

The Hiram Johnson [illegible] has already struck one of [illegible] mines.

The Bull Moose party [illegible] taken a liberal dose of that [illegible] medicine.

Gen. Depression is in full [illegible] been dislodged by the 42-centi[illegible] Gen. Prosperity.

The warring nations are [illegible] thing—that the losses on the [illegible] something enormous.

William of Wied has been [illegible] turn to Albania, but no word of [illegible] has been sent to Geo. Fred. Wil[illegible]

The United States drank [illegible] billion gallons of beer last [illegible] get your twenty gallons at the [illegible]

California's contribution to the [illegible] mouth disease will be furnished by [illegible] ing meeting of the State Legis[illegible]

A lot of Bull Moosers would [illegible] the old Republican stream if they [illegible] afraid to leave their clothes on the [illegible]

It does not mean anything [illegible] cause a man has an imposing [illegible] Shakespeare, Washington and Lin[illegible] none.

Neither has the Sultan ashied [illegible] account of the Smyrna incident [illegible] vernacular of the street, "He [illegible] have to."

It must be one of the sorrows [illegible] of Gen. Venustiano Carranza [illegible] Funston carried all the public [illegible] from Vera Cruz.

Champ Clark says Congress [illegible] ing but pass the appropriation [illegible] coming short session. But who [illegible] authority to speak?

The fact that Chinese other [illegible] age of 100 years is no doubt [illegible] fact that there is but one [illegible] 600,000 of its inhabitants.

President Wilson will read his [illegible] Congress today. The message [illegible] dent used to be an event; now it [illegible] an incident of the routine.

The art gallery of Henry Clay [illegible] Pittsburgh millionaire, in his [illegible] York home will cost more than [illegible] He may be happy yet, you bet.

Joe Caillaux and his sweetheart [illegible] gone to Venezuela, and in Paris [illegible] "Absence makes the heart grow [illegible] been barred from the newspapers.

When Gov. Glynn of New York [illegible] January, he will become an [illegible] bany. The office cat is [illegible] daylights kicked out the [illegible]

What is needed in Colorado [illegible] situation more than anything [illegible] rehabilitation of the common[illegible] re-establishment of its shattered [illegible]

To add to the gaiety of [illegible] Mexico a third party has [illegible] But it is likely to cut no [illegible] than the Bull Mooser in the [illegible] free.

George W. Perkins, in his [illegible] the riddle of the high cost [illegible] that eggs are an excellent [illegible] meat. So are turkey and [illegible] hamburger steak.

And nobody has yet suggested [illegible] Christmas ship ought to be sent [illegible] ows and orphans of the "[illegible] far-away country east of Suez [illegible] are no commandments.

Col. Roosevelt says he has [illegible] the privatest of privates. [illegible] Taft says he is up in an [illegible] ing the procession go by. [illegible] pair may meet some time.

In spite of the war the [illegible] Exposition will be a success. [illegible] persons who usually go to [illegible] the big show. It would be a [illegible] were only a pan-American [illegible]

The magnates of the Federal [illegible] have an interest in a money [illegible] by the big salaries they are [illegible] baseball stars. Some sweet [illegible] ican people will get tired [illegible] freight.

If Gov.-elect Willis of Ohio [illegible] the maxixe he might not be [illegible] inaugural ball. What a spree [illegible] of the heft of Willis, who [illegible] pounds, cut in the delirious [illegible] of that favorite movement!

Meanwhile the rumor that [illegible] William J. Bryan as premier of [illegible] tration are about numbered [illegible] Instead of attending to the [illegible] of his position he is posting [illegible] away from his desk and [illegible] the Democrats who have been [illegible] since the troublous days of [illegible]

THE HAUNTED MILL.

Drip, drip, drip, in the river [illegible]
Save the ceaseless, [illegible] wheel beside the mill.
Cold and still, with [illegible]
By the falls a moment [illegible]
Then in tumult rushes [illegible] haunted mill.

Creak, creak, creak, [illegible] the mill,
Icy fingers, cold and [illegible] ing, then are still.
Moves the wheel still [illegible]
Moans a voice, "Stop, [illegible]
And the cold blast [illegible] the mill.

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The Work Costs More.

ANAHEIM, Dec. 7.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Regarding the matter now agitating the city [illegible] and the readiness so apparent on the part of the Council to [illegible] will to go a little slow-[illegible] the statements of the [illegible] inspector, and in calling an [illegible] the city charter amendment, the matter surely is serious enough to require the fullest consideration. The people should be fully informed through discussion and [illegible] by those experienced in [illegible] involved. It is better to [illegible] we bear than to rush [illegible] we know not of, no matter [illegible] the prospect dressed [illegible] promises of the highly [illegible] improvement.

The cost of street improvements, we are told, if the city [illegible] to the exclusion of [illegible] contractors, a saving of [illegible] cent, will be made to the [illegible] property owners. I can [illegible] confidence of a small [illegible] and right here I will call [illegible] the teamsters employed [illegible] so fortunate for them, [illegible] a lenient employer and [illegible] and compare their [illegible] to outside teamsters. The [illegible] teamsters was last year [illegible] $4.50 to $5 per day on [illegible] high cost of feed. But [illegible] hours again and the pay [illegible] increased. Not satisfied [illegible] good fortune, those city [illegible] have organized and re-[illegible] increase their feed at [illegible] that the retailer who is, of [illegible] pay, charged with their [illegible] may not make any profit [illegible] The city teamsters [illegible] eight hours (nominally) per [illegible] their brothers outside the [illegible] nine hours and $4 [illegible] paid by private contractors, [illegible] are paid only for each day [illegible]

[illegible] about the city doing the [illegible] work and saving [illegible] cent? The City Engineer [illegible] estimate of the cost of [illegible] financing necessary [illegible] sections of the work. But [illegible] will the city charge [illegible] equipment and financ-[illegible] work and all attendant [illegible] proportionately against [illegible] interest, or will those [illegible] borne by the tax payers [illegible] during interims when [illegible]

ARLIE F. MUSS.

KNOTTY POINT ARGUED.

Can Mr. Batchelder be Innocent When He Says Himself He was Guilty of Conspiring to Defraud?

The question whether the verdict of acquittal in the case of the government against Grant G. Gillette, Thomas and John Montgomery and Edson France, charged with using the mails to defraud in connection with the affairs of the Cleveland Oil Company, automatically acquits William J. Batchelder, another defendant, who on May 2, 1913, pleaded guilty before Judge Bean, and paid a fine of $5000, was argued before Judge Bledsoe yesterday, in the local United States District Court. The court took the matter under advisement.

The question came up in the shape of a moion to vacate the judgment in Judge Bean's court, and it follows that if Judge Bledsoe allows the motion that Batchelder will get his money back. It is the first time in the history of the local Federal Court that such an issue has been raised, and there is much interest in the disposition of the case.

It was argued on behalf of the motion that, the defendants in the case having been acquitted, of course Batchelder could not be guilty, as under the law he could not conspire with himself, the allegation being conspiracy to swindle investors in the stock and securities of the Cleveland Oil Company.

On the part of the government it was urged that a verdict of not guilty was not an affirmative finding of innocence, but only meant that the government had not proven its contention against the defendants beyond a reasonable doubt.

It will be recalled that when Batchelder pleaded guilty the statement was made in court by his physician, Dr. W. Jarvis Barlow, that he was in very poor health and that he was worrying himself to death on account of his connection with the Cleveland Oil Company case. He afterward became a witness for the government and was very disappointing.

LUCK TURNS AT LAST.

Man Whom Ill-fortune Long Hounded is Awarded His Homestead Against Government Claim.

Three years ago, Willette G. McGuire conducted a "gents' furnishing store" at Taft, Kern county. A fire broke out and destroyed his stock. He had no insurance and the disaster beggared him. A friend recommended that he enter a piece of government land in the vicinity of the Maricopa oil district, and he did so, taking up forty acres. Then along came a government expert employed by the field service, and said the land was mineral in character. On his recommendation it was withdrawn from all forms of agricultural entry and placed in the petroleum reserve.

Suit was brought by the government to dispossess McGuire, and the local land officers yesterday decided the case in favor of McGuire. They found there was nothing in the contention that there is any oil in the land in commercial quantities.

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DEVELOPMENT OF INTERNAL COMMERCE

Our latest previous letter referred to altered conditions affecting commerce with other nations, particularly with South American states. But of far more vital importance than this are the newly-arisen necessities forcibly brought to our attention when many European products suddenly ceased coming to our shores. We are only beginning to realize our dependence on other nations for the needs of our own markets. It is a fact, however, that for capacity to absorb the products of foreign markets, as well as the ability to pay promptly for what we receive—in other words, as a great purchasing market—the United States has no equal on the globe.

Why should we ever import so heavily from other countries, and pay for those imports with gold needed to carry on our own internal trade and industries? Why endeavor so strenuously to develop foreign commerce, buying and building ships to transport that commerce? Why not apply our energies toward more efficiently organizing our nearest local or national markets of supply and demand? Why not consume in our own manufacturing industries the raw materials we produce, instead of shipping these raw materials to be manufactured by European labor and reshipped to us under European Labels.

Our products and manufactures are now sufficiently diversified to supply fully our own ordinary requirements; and these requirements are certainly capable of absorbing at least the greater portion of our own productions. Surely now, if ever, it is time for us as a nation to assert our financial and industrial independence; to develop and organize our own internal commerce; and by creating in our own markets a greater demand for goods "made in America", to utilize our incomparable resources for furthering the prosperity of our own Nation and its people.

For some weeks the German American Trust and Savings Bank has discussed in these "open letters" questions of national as well as of local interest and significance. However, it is not enough that a single institution or class of institutions, nor even that a single class of citizens discuss these problems and assist in their solution. But when every individual citizen makes it his business to study these matters carefully and to contribute his effort, whatever may be necessary or possible for him to do, then and speedily will our Nation as a whole make progress toward well-founded and substantial prosperity.

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An Electric Lamp—A Gift Suggestion

Here is a fine place for someone in doubt to come. These rich electric lamps, with solid mahogany base and silk shades, selling regularly at $6 and $6.50, are priced now at just.....$5

And there are others, delightfully pretty, some of them with genuine hand-painted shades, mahogany or metal bases, to sell at $3 to $45.

Will you look now, before the best are gone?

Mahogany Trays—the genuine or the clever imitations, at prices from 85c to $8.
(Art Needlework; Third Floor)

Twelve Extra Good Specials in Toys

A glimpse at the following lists will quickly convince anyone of the advantage of toy selections at Coulter's:

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Alphabet Blocks, 35c—reg. 50c for set of 24; others 10c to $3.

Dolls, $1.25—22-inch height; sleeping eyes; real eyelashes and real eyebrows; assorted light or dark hair; a splendid $2 doll. Others from 15c to $16.

Stuffed Animals, 35c—with squeak; reg. 50c; others, 25c to $1.50.

Trains, $1—regularly $1.75 engine and 3 coaches; others from $1 to $10.
(Toy Section; Third Floor)

A B C and Picture Books, 10c—a series of 13 to choose from; reg. 15c; others 10c to $2.00.

Kewpies, 40c—the 65c celluloid style; other ones 15c to $10.

Velocipedes, $1.35—reg. $2; others $1.75 to $12.50.

Tricycles, $4.65—reg. $6.75; others $4.75 to $16.

Jointed Dolls, 15c—8-inch height; dresses; reg. 25c.

Appropriate Gift-Things for Men and Women

Little reminders from our Toilet Goods Section, just to help out some of you who may not have thought of such givable things:

Manicure Sets, 50c to $15.
Fancy Perfumes, 50c to $12.50.
Hair Ornaments, 25c to $15.
Parisian Ivory Toilet Ware, 25c to $10.
Perfume Atomizers, 75c to $5.
Sweet Grass Vanity Baskets, $1 to $7.50.
Toilet Waters, 75c to $4.50.
Parisian Ivory Clocks, $2.50 to $7.50.
Shaving Mirrors, $1 to $12.50.
Ebony Military Brush Sets, $3 to $7.50.
Safety Razor Sets, $3.50 to $12.50.
Pocket Knives, 50c to $5.
Electric-lighted Shaving Mirrors, $8.
Tourist Toilet Cases, 75c to $4.50.
Razor Strops, $1 to $2.50.
Razors—Jordon's Best, $1.50 to $5.
(Toilet Goods; South Aisle)

These for Her Work Basket

Few women ever get too many of such practical things as these; sure to win appreciation:

10c Slipper Trees, two for 15c.
5c Emeries, three for 10c.
10c Satin Mirrors, two for 15c.
5c Wax Fruit, three for 10c.
15c Fancy Tape Measures, 10c.
25c and 35c Needle Cases, each 20c.
—5c Tomato Red Pincushions, three for 10c.
25c and 30c Scissors, pair 20c.
10c Gold Safety Pins, two cards for 18c.
25c Fruit Pincushions, each 20c.
5c Roberts' Needles, 3 for 10c.
65c Fancy Pincushions, 50c.
15c Wood Needle Cases, 10c.
(Notions; South Aisle)

Now Is the Time to Buy Sweaters

Both because sweater-wearing weather is here, and because they are so good to give your friends who live much out-of-doors. These particularly for children and girls:

Girls' Sweaters

—sizes 28 to 36; in light, medium or heavy weights, all good shades; special values at $2.50 to $5.50.

—novelty sweaters in green, rose, Copen and gray and heather mixed, $5 to $8.50.

Children's Sweaters

—plain, belted and Norfolk styles in Copen, white, cardinal and oxford, $2 to $6.

Infants' Sweaters

—in plain cardinal, white, gray, Copen, and white, color trimmed, $1.25 to $3.50.

Caps to Match

at 25c, 35c, 50c to $1.50.
(Children's Wear; Second Floor)

Outing Flannel Night Garments Feel Good Now

These are for children; full lines, as well, for women:

Were 50c, now 35c; were 75c, now 65c.

Pajamas, white, colored stripes or Mother Goose designs, $1, $1.25, $1.50.

Gowns—with hoods and foot pockets, $1.75 and $2.

Outing Skirts—colored stripes, 35c, 50c, 75c. White, 75c and $1.

Outing Gowns—75c, $1, $1.25, $1.50 and $2.

—in white, $1.25 to $2.

Extra sizes, $1.25 to $2.

Christmas Slippers—for men, women and children—$1 to $3.
(Undermuslins; Second Floor)

Clearances Continue in Dresses and Suits

If we were to pick out some of the best things that have been reduced for this sale they would be—

Silk Dresses at $9.75

—and $16.75.; in charmeuse, satin, crepes de chine and novelty silks of the best-liked colors and styles for street wear; they are worth to a third more than these present prices.

Tailored Suits at $24.25

—in plain and elaborate styles; long and short coats; serges, gabardines, poplins, cheviots, broadcloths and novelty weaves; navy, brown, Copenhagen, Russian Chartreuse; values to $50.

FURS REDUCED—All Women's Furs Reduced One-Fourth
(Garments; Second Floor)

$30 to $40 Fancy Tunics Are Now, $25

Any man whose wife appears at all in society need have no hesitation in selecting one or more of these handsome tunics for her gift; they are new in style, delightfully pretty, and remarkably inexpensive, now:

Silks at $1 Worth Double

A little group of underpriced silks will afford many people an opportunity to save half or thereabouts:

Tinsels, fancy vestings, stripes and Marquisettes in various colorings and designs, light and dark; specially priced at.....$1.00
(Silks; Broadway Annex)

Silk Combinations

—with net and crystals, in black and white; black net with blue iridescent crystals; opalescent beadings.

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Coatettes—with colored bead-embroidery.

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MOVEMENTS IN SOCIETY.

THE circle of life for Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clark of Toledo, O., who are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Sheets, No. 1354 West Twentieth street, seems moving in half-century marks. Last Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Clark celebrated their golden wedding anniversary and Mr. Clark also made known that for fifty years he had been connected with the Lake Shore Railroad, both in train service and station work.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark are both enjoying their visit in California, which has been an annual occurrence for several years, and were able, through the celebration of their golden wedding anniversary, to meet many old friends from Toledo who are now in California.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Sheets was beautiful with golden flowers and ferns, and at 10 o'clock a banquet was served to the guests, who included Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Arms, Monrovia; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Moore, Glendale; Mrs. G. A. Masonville, Detroit; Mrs. E. Deardoff, and Mrs. Watkins, Chicago; Mrs. L. E. Smith, Toledo; Mrs. J. Bunsicker and son, Mrs. Warren Cook, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Fitch, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Merriman and daughter, Frances; Mr. and Mrs. Seward Force, Mrs. Mae Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. George Kleinhaus, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Sheets.

Church Wedding.

A very pretty wedding and one of much interest to Los Angeles society was solemnized yesterday afternoon at the Church of the Angels, when Miss Florence E. van Court Porter, daughter of Mrs. Gertrude van Court Emerson, became the bride of Aubrey Rivers Parks of Dallas, Tex. The bride was attired in a gray broadcloth traveling gown, with small hat of black velvet. Mrs. Fred W. Lake of Omaha was matron of honor and W. B. Wilkerson best man. Mr. and Mrs. Parks left by automobile for Riverside, where they will spend a week, after which they will visit with relatives of Mr. Parks at Dallas.

Subscription Ball.

Another charity ball for the benefit of the Children's Hospital is to be given December 15 in the ballroom of the Hotel Virginia at Long Beach, and promises to be a most brilliant affair. A feature will be special music for the dancing of the new steps and several artists will give exhibitions of the latest New York dances. The ball is to be under the patronage of Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Connell, Mr. and Mrs. Hancock Banning, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ross Clark, Mr. and Mrs. William M. Garland, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Clark, Jr., Dr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. Allen C. Balch, Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Avery McCarthy, Mrs. Daniel L. McFarland, Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Drake, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kingsley Macomber, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Hicks, Capt. and Mrs. Cameron E. Thom, Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Ainsworth, Mr. and Mrs. George I. Cochran, Dr. and Mrs. Titian Coffey, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Newlin, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Ridgeway, Bishop and Mrs. Joseph H. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Huntington, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. Fairbanks, Col. and Mrs. Edwin F. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H Sixby, Mr. and Mrs. William R. Staats, Mr. and Mrs. Ervine Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Tod Ford, Mr. and Mrs. John Grosse, Mr. and Mrs. Mark S. Severance, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Crutcher, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Rowley, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton B. Rollins, Mr. and Mrs. Jean G. Drake, Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Kitchen, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Goodhue, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Garner, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Denholm, Mrs. Adelaide Tichenor, Mrs. James Savery, Mr. and Mrs. William W. Mines, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert W. Coombs and Mr. and Mrs. Robert I. Rogers.

Dinner Dance.

The gowns of beautiful women, the fragrance of cut flowers and the soft strains of music palpitating to the latest steps, all combined to make the dinner dance given by the Sierra Madre Club one of the most successful of the season. Covers were laid for about 150 guests, and prominent among those noticed entertaining were P. A. Keegal with a party of six; C. N. Van Pelt, party of ten; R. M. Taylor, C. F. Bliven, W. E. Hutchinson, H. W. Kidd, Dr. E. H. Jacobs, F. R. Emery, each with a party of six; Dr. C. A. Smalley, ten; Capt. Wharton, fourteen, and Dr. W. B. Boman, eight.

Tuesday afternoon from 2:30 to 5:30 the ladies of the club will have the privilege of their dining-room for cards. This is becoming a very popular feature and several large parties are planned for that afternoon.

House Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Allen Simpson of the Bryson apartments entertained with a week-end house party at Glenn Ranch and the good time was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Hudson, Dr. and Mrs. L. P. Kaull, Miss Ione Hudson and Lawrence Baker, Jr.

Coming Affair.

Mrs. Frank Sherwood Wise will soon issue invitations for a large bridge party to be given next Tuesday. Assisting the hostess will be Mrs. William H. Milspaugh, Mrs. U. T. Clotfelter and Mrs. John Maurer, who, by the way, has just returned from a pleasant five-weeks' stay in San Francisco with Mr. Maurer.

Visiting Here.

Mrs. George E. Hair of Salt Lake City is here spending the winter as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Foote Tarbell, No. 1632 West Forty-fifth street. Capt. Hair will join her shortly to spend the holidays.

Luncheon and Theater Party.

Miss Isabel Smith, No. 1550 Second avenue, will entertain the members of her bridal party with a luncheon and theater party next Saturday. The luncheon will take place at the Hotel Clark, followed by a box party at the Morosco. Miss Smith is to marry Arthur Carroll the middle of this month and her bridal party includes Miss Myrtle Punison and Miss Armeda Hill, bridesmaids; Mrs. R. W. Friesdee, matron of honor; Glory Herzog, ring bearer; Maxine Heasley, flower girl; William Parker and Maurice Opiges, ushers, and R. W. Friesdee, best man.

Silver Wedding Anniversary.

A dinner in honor of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the marriage of Dr. and Mrs. Julius Koebig was given by their son, H. K. Koebig, in the red room of the Sierra Madre Club Saturday evening. The beautiful private dining-room was exquisitely decorated in keeping with the occasion, with garlands of white roses, tipped with silver. In the center of the table a bower-bed of white roses surrounded a monster mimic wedding cake topped with a silver-frosted wedding scene in the costumes of a quarter century ago. The place cards were in appropriate harmony. A surprise for the honored couple was the presentation of a beautiful silver service, with which the table was set. Those who participated were Dr. and Mrs. Julius Koebig, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Koebig, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Koebig, Jr., Miss Julia Koebig, Miss Theodora Koebig, Miss Edna Hawerwaas, H. K. Koebig and Kurt Koebig. Following the dinner the party attended the Kirmess at the Shrine Auditorium, given under the auspices of the German-Austrian-Hungarian Relief Society, of which Dr. Koebig is president.

Nerrill-Thompson.

The wedding of Miss Edna Helen Thompson and George Hubert Nerrill, Jr., was solemnized last evening at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Earl A. Maginnis, No. 159 South boulevard, the occasion also being the fourth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Maginnis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clark,

Who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in Los Angeles last Saturday.

PRESIDING JUSTICE NOW.

And Judge Middlecoff Will Remain Head of Appellatte Court for Almost a Whole Month.

Duly armed with a commission signed by Gov. Johnson, setting out specifically that he had been chosen at the recent November election presiding justice of the District Court of Appeal for the unexpired term of the late Matthew T. Allen, Walter W. Middlecoff presented himself to the court yesterday, and at once assumed the duties of his position.

That is, he assumed them so far as possible for him to do so. All the cases argued at the opening of the winter term on October 26, having been presented to Judges Shaw, James and Conrey, will remain in abeyance, as it is not necessary for the court as now constituted to hear a repetition of such arguments, and it is not absolutely necessary that they be decided for ninety days after their submission.

The December motion calendar, due on the 28th inst., has by order of the court been postponed until January, for here again it would not be proper to have the cases passed on by the court as now constituted, only to have the matter repeated when Judge Conrey assumes the duties of his full term, beginning Monday, January 3, 1915.

However, Mr. Middlecoff will receive salary at the rate of $4333.33 1-3 per month for his period of service.

Farewell.

RARE ENGLISH ARTIST HERE.

Forbes-Robertson at Majestic This Week.

Brilliant Opening of Star's Final Engagement.

Miss Cowie Radiant Hamlet Too Long.

BY HENRY CHRISTEEN WARNACK

Sir Johnston Forbes-Robertson is saying farewell to the stage, having chosen America for his final tour. Pragmatically the retirement of this eminent artist is not of so much interest to Los Angeles as the fact that an actor of exceptional brilliance and unexceptional good taste is at the Majestic for two weeks in an appealing repertoire.

The splendid reception accorded Sir Johnston and his lovely leading woman, Miss Laura Cowie, last night was a tribute to our own aliveness to art and a healthy desire for entertainment, rather than to any sentiment attending the last local appearance of one whose finish of performance and beauty of voice amount to a cherished presence.

However impressive is Sir Johnston's "Hamlet," regardless of the dramatic possibilities and interpretation of "The Light That Failed," and despite the charm of the passing of the "Third Floor Back," a drama of some lameness except for the dominant fascination of Sir Johnston's forceful yet gentle personality, I must voice the sincere regret of Los Angeles that we might not first have had Shaw's brilliant "Caesar and Cleopatra," the newest and most sensational of the more ambitious performances for which we can hope this season. Sir Johnston and Miss Cowie are reported to be prepared to offer a remarkable production of this wonder play, and had it been their first offering I suspect the box office receipts for the engagement might have been an agreeable surprise to the management.

Manager Montrose promises the big show next week for at least two performances, and if it is half as good as represented, I am quite sure the people will let the company play nothing else.

Except for the delightful English star and the beautiful Scotch lass who is his leading woman, the company invites little praise. Forbes-Robertson's "Hamlet," his offering last night, is divinely human, and his voice plays through its beautiful speeches like a song from the heart. His stage setting is superb, although exceedingly simple, and his brief intervals between acts with the deletion of music brings the performance within a reasonable time, a feat that can only be accomplished at some considerable expense to the nervous energy of the audience.

Miss Cowie is an interesting "Ophelia," but her dark loveliness, her gloriously sensuous mouth and the maturity of her figure rather violate the traditional ideal. The Laertes of this version is much too mature and stern, and the Horatio simply does not exist. The Polonius is somewhat robust for a man of his years, but he reads beautifully, and the ghost has the same virtue and the same fault.

The King has auburn hair and a stupidly insipid Queen, but all of these defects are swallowed up in the beautiful and masterly interpretation offered by Sir Johnston and in the superb setting of the second ghost scene.

I am very much surprised that an actor who could himself do nothing bad could so nearly surround himself with people who can do nothing good. Still, the music of Forbes-Robertson's voice and his supreme worth as an actor entitles him to every consideration of Los Angeles, and this he will receive. Except for the deficiencies of his support, his "Hamlet" is the most beautiful offered in two seasons. Were this lack of the right people about him less palpable, his "Hamlet" would stand as one of the peerless productions of the age.

It was the theory of Edgar Allen Poe that no poem could approximate the ecstacy of verse if it required more than thirty minutes in the reading, the idea being that a regal emotion could not be sustained for a longer period. This same rule, with due allowance for intermissions which at once rest the audience and accommodate the mechanical necessity of stage setting, applies to the drama and the tragedy of the theater.

A performance of longer than two hours and thirty minutes would change comedy into burlesque and drama into boredom, while in a tragedy it amounts either to ennui or frazzled nerves. If Shakespeare were alive today he would be the first man in the world to agree to a re-writing of "Hamlet" that would reduce it to a model performance from the point of duration.

No great production of the stage is in such desperate need of rewriting or close revision as Hamlet. It is atrocious in its length, and the fine effect of the five greatest plays of the world is sadly dimmed through this error of technique. It suited Shakespeare's era, and in this particular it misses our own.

Unless the gentleman were here for collaboration and consent I should hesitate in assuming the responsibility of elimination, but I do not hesitate to condemn a few of the long speeches and some of the scenes. There cannot be a particle of excuse for the manner in which Shakespeare becomes a preacher, allowing Hamlet to sermonize to the actors on the method of their own art; nor is there any good reason for delaying us from our midnight suppers with the rather tiresome rehearsal of these players.

Polonius is given undue prominence and some of his tilts with Hamlet and the Queen might well be spared. Rosencrans and Gilderstern get rather more time than they deserve, and we could, on a pinch, get along without them altogether. The Ghost might be limited to one scene instead of two, and any practical stage manager would see that this was done. The soliloquy is beautiful chiefly because it is sonorous and because this philosophic flight is taken in blank verse. In a modern play the long speech is taboo, and it ought to be, except for the very biggest moments and then it is most likely to be in the way of action.

This is true of most of the larger speeches of Hamlet. I do not in the least mind that this is heresy because a Shakespeare of today, if we had one, would heartily subscribe to every word of it. I am not weary of the old masters, especially of the greatest of them all, but it does seem to me that common sense should give us the liberty of every modern need. It is quite possible that the copyright laws would not interfere with my suggestion. If we are to put any faith in higher criticism, then a book quite as sacred as Shakespeare has stood the test of similar meddling and worse.

We shall all await with vivid interest Caesar and Cleopatra next week and the "Light That Failed," which is to be the offering tonight, will be received with almost equal enthusiasm.

CALLED IMPERSONATOR.

W. A. Snyder was arraigned before United States Commissioner Williams yesterday, charged with impersonating an officer of the local internal revenue service and was held in $1000 bond. His examination will take place this morning. It is alleged that Snyder went to Theodore Dooner, a saloon-keeper on San Pedro street, bought a bottle of whisky for 75 cents, for which he demanded a receipt, and then pretending to be a government officer, demanded that Dooner pay him $25 for an alleged violation of the internal revenue laws.

DIES OF INJURIES.

A fall to the pavement two weeks ago proved fatal to P. M. Shaw, 57 years old, of No. 327 North Grand avenue. Mr. Shaw was a civil engineer. His injuries were a fractured left hip and other serious hurts. He succumbed yesterday.

FALL BREAKS BONES.

Falling twenty-two feet from a painter's scaffold, A. R. Campbell of No. 2611 East First street suffered a serious fracture of the right hip, a fractured right arm and other injuries at Mr. Campbell's home yesterday. The injured man was taken to the California Hospital.

First Thanksgiving Proclamation.

[Pittsburgh Gazette-Times:] The Thanksgiving proclamation was originated by Francis Bernard, "Captain General and Governor-in-chief over His Majesty's province of the Massachusetts Bay." It was issued November 4, 1767, and the form was that which has been in substance, adhered to ever since.

Real Art.

MAY ROBSON IN "MARTHA-BY-THE-DAY," AT MASON.

BY GRACE KINGSLEY.

I'D like to subscribe to May Robson for life! "Martha-by-the-Day" simply walked off with the big Monday evening gathering at the Mason last night.

Martha "takes in" scrubbing, you know, and from the minute she explains to her children: "What do I do to support y'? Sure, I'm a stenographer! Why is my dress so wet at night? Well, d' y' think 'twould be neat for me to leave me typewriter all dirty? Shure, I schrub it before I come home!" until the grand end, at which she arrives as housekeeper and friend-in-law of a wealthy family, the play is one of the most delightful that has ever visited the Mason.

Martha is an Irish edition of "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," with a lot of humorous philosophy, which keeps her up on her rather thorny path of life.

"Was I iver in a hole? Sure, I've been in and out of holes all me life, especially in!" "Now sthop your fussing. You act like you'd lost your last inimy, and didn't have no wan to take any comfort out of." "The rich, y' say? Why, the rich are proud to go where they're ashamed to be seen!" are some of Martha's racy comments.

"Martha" is a very human play, mixed sunshine and shadow, just like life, and May Robson, whom we are used to thinking of in rollicking farce comedy, appears in quite a new role. Miss Robson's roles are always wholesome, and funny, but Martha is full of humanity and natural humor as well.

Naturally, there's a troublesome plot, and "papers," and guilty husbands and things, but these aren't really the play. The play is May Robson; also Henrietta McDannel and Violet Howard as Cora and Francie, the two very human and rather naughty little girls, daughters of Martha, not to mention "Flickers," the funny little dog.

Of course, it's quite impossible to transcribe May Robson's acting into terms of paper and ink. There's so much in her irresistible facial expressions and gesture, and the wonderful "business" she always wishes on her parts. That business of the egg, when she's getting supper, for instance, when she's talking a bit of gossip and discovers the egg isn't just all a fresh egg should be, or when she's peeling the potatoes without looking at them at all, all bits which seem not worth mentioning, but which she makes so deliciously droll. And her description of milking the cow, and her incredulity that a "cow should have a right and a wrong side!"

"Martha-by-the-Day" is just a delightfully human comedy, with the only May Robson leavening it all with her own vibrant, energetic comedy gift.

There's a quaint little gossipy epilogue at the end of the play, too, which gets over delightfully.

The supporting company is excellent. Besides those already mentioned, Mary Mersch as Claire Lane played her part with sincerity and finish; the Frank Ronald of Langdon Gillet was also strong; Jane Heron as Mrs. Allen Sherman, Coates Gwynne as Sam Slawson, Howard Beauford as Shaw, Elizabeth Warren as Amy Pelham, Edwin Brandt as Allen Sherman, Roy Ardmore as Steve Lundy, and Emily Lorraine as "Ma" Slawson, all played their parts most satisfactorily.

You're broke? Never mind. You'll take something for it and go and see May Robson!

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VAUDEVILLE AND PICTURES

BY GRACE KINGSLEY.

SIX hits in a row at the Orpheum this week!

Of course, Gertrude Hoffman and her corking revue get away with most of the noise, and the scintillating ballet, the freaky Pierrot stuff, the tumbling Arabs, and the beautiful Isadora Duncan, Grecian dance, accompanied by the special music, please quite as much as last week. The tempo of the act has been increased since last Monday, and the acts get over even more snappily than at first.

Ann Tasker and company have a somewhat obvious comedy with the works showing, entitled "Taming a Tartar." But Ann Tasker is a delicious little person, so vividly and delicately pretty and vivacious, that she gets away with it charmingly. She is ably supported by Rita Abbott, who, by the way, does an excellent bit of acting as the maid, and by Kernan Cripps and F. Will Pyke, who please in their respective roles. Without much reason, but a great deal of excuse, Miss Tasker interpolates a delightful song in a voice that doesn't at all belong to vaudeville.

"A Love Losenger" gives Tony Hunting, in a kid comedy make-up, a chance to be very amusing, in jokes that are delightfully fresh, and some good buck and wing dancing.

"If you're a good boy," says Miss Francis, "when you grow up may be you'll be President." "I don't want to be President," says Tony. "I want a steady job!" So far as a love losenger playing any particular part, the sketch might as well have been called "A Shot in the Arm." But Tony Hunting is a real comedian, and Miss Francis is a real looker, so what more does anybody care?

Charles Irwin and Eunice Burnham in their evening clothes have a capital sketch, with Miss Burnham wearing her property smile most of the time, and Charles Irwin doing some good English and Scotch character songs and talk.

Jack and Foris are billed somewhat ambiguously as jolly Frenchmen. They do a very neat acrobatic turn, a special feature of which is a hand-balancing turn in which one, clasping the other's hands, makes a round trip over his partner's head nearly to the floor in front of him and back again.

Swor and Mack are a joy forever with their corking black-face comedy, soft-shoe dancing, and imitation poker and crap games.

Tally's Broadway.

"A Country Mouse," with Adele Farrington, Hobart Bosworth and Myrtle Steadman in the leading roles, is the pleasing offering this week at Tally's Broadway.

Miss Farrington's own delightful little methods are all captured on the screen, in her part of the stay-at-home wife of a [illegible] worth is the [illegible] perfection, and [illegible] as alluring as ever as the feminine [illegible]

The story [illegible] from start to finish [illegible] is all its own. The [illegible] tiful.

"The Leopard" [illegible] pleasing one-reeler [illegible] longer drama.

Clune's Auditorium.

Two delightful [illegible] ing shown at Clune's [illegible] week.

"More than Queen," [illegible] colored film by the Comedie Francaise, [illegible] love affairs of a young soldier. [illegible] taken in and about the [illegible] of France, which [illegible] background for the [illegible] is crisply told and [illegible]

"The Tangle," [illegible] of the other play, featuring the [illegible] ders. It is a story [illegible] in it the regular [illegible] have been used, [illegible] as is so often the [illegible] sult is a convincing [illegible]

Clune's Broadway.

Bunny is serving a tour this week at Clune's Bunny isn't in pictures, you know, he's in vaudeville, one, "Bunny's Little Brother," one of the best [illegible] serves to introduce [illegible] able successor, Joe [illegible]

Other features of the [illegible] gramme are a [illegible] called "The Lion's [illegible] Adele Lane and [illegible] er in "The Methods [illegible] "The Deacon's [illegible] drama.

On Thursday next [illegible] to be a very [illegible] Selig drama of [illegible] "Saved by His Watch," [illegible] Mix. Tom is shot [illegible] in this piece, and [illegible] besides.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] exhibit the latest [illegible] afternoon and evening [illegible] week.

Quinn's Superba.

Every little while [illegible] melodrama is done [illegible] real artist like [illegible] pears to make us [illegible] it after all.

"The Barrier," [illegible] most pleasing [illegible] Hart, who has [illegible] raise on "Broadway," [illegible] all his art to the [illegible] The piece is [illegible]

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CLINGING TO A DEAD ONE.

Franchise will Probably Go to Sacramento.

Salt Lake Application Makes No Headway.

San Diego is Only Lukewarm Bidder.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

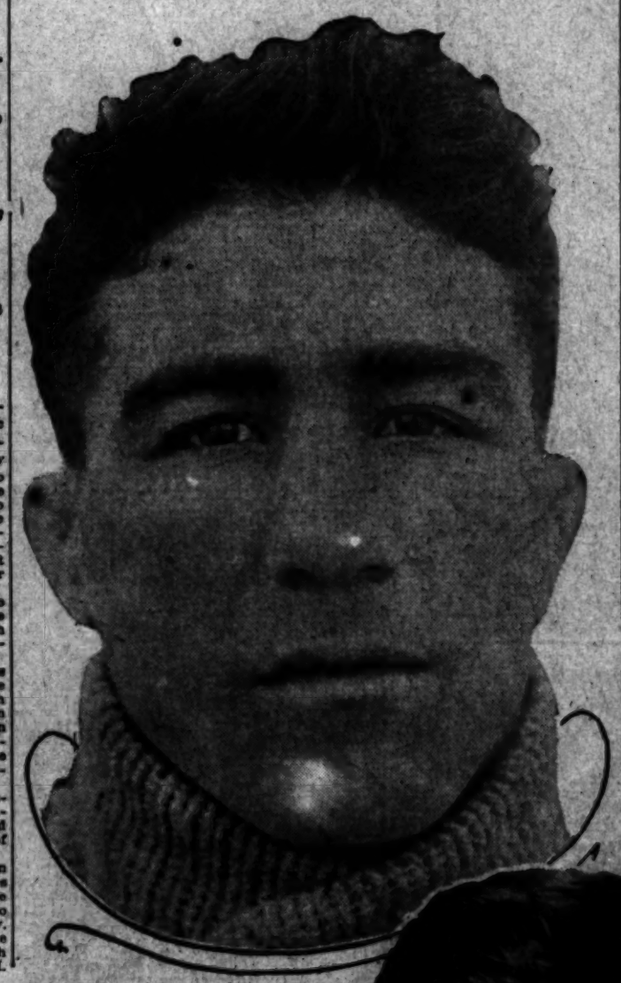
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—President Allan T. Baum of the Pacific Coast Baseball League granted an extension of time yesterday to Charley Graham for the raising of funds to purchase back the forfeited franchise of Sacramento. Graham returned to Sacramento to stir up the fans of the Capital City, and the opinion is growing among baseball officials that Sacramento will return to the league. It is regarded as the only logical city for the sixth team.

The attempt of Salt Lake City to secure the franchise appears to have made little headway and the Utah town is believed to have been eliminated by the league leaders.

James Morley of San Diego, who is here seeking the forfeited franchise for his city, did not get in touch with Baum today, but announced that San Diego wanted the franchise only in case there was a likelihood of its going outside the State and that he would not compete against Sacramento.

The matter now hangs upon Sacramento's success in clearing its $30,000 debt to the Coast League and Graham expressed high confidence of success.

Henry Berry, new owner of the San Francisco club, went to Los Angeles today to sign the final papers in the sale of his interest in the Angels to Tom Stephens and Tom Darmody. Berry was appointed president of the San Francisco club today and Joseph Derham director, to succeed Frank M. Ish and J. Cal Ewing.



The Last Fight.

JOHNNY DUNDEE LOOKS A WINNER OVER JOE RIVERS.

Donald O'Brien Picks the Italian Boy, but Thinks There will be No Knockout — An Examination of the "Dope" Shows that Dundee has Much Better Record of the Two—Their Condition.

BY DONALD O'BRIEN.

JOHNNY DUNDEE looks due to win the last fight in California. He and Joe Rivers will battle for that honor at Vernon tonight for twenty rounds, if it lasts that long.

In my opinion it will last the twenty rounds. At the end of the fight I expect to see the referee raise the Italian's hand, but I think Rivers will be standing there also.

To my mind, Dundee can beat any lightweight now living. There are a flock of them who can beat Rivers.

There is no comparison between the records of the two. If fights could be figured on "dope," Dundee would be a 5-to-1 favorite over the Mexican.

THE DOPE.

Freddie Welsh made Rivers look like an awkward country boy. Welsh simply played horse with the Mexican. Made him look so foolish that Rivers was ashamed to try to hit. Dundee gave Welsh the fight of his life. But for a sensational rally in the last round, Dundee would have won a clean-cut victory over the present lightweight champion.

Charley White easily beat both Ad Wolgast and Willie Ritchie, who both beat Joe Rivers. When Johnny Dundee fought Charley White, they had to turn off the electric lights to save White from being knocked out.

Johnny Kilbane knocked Rivers cold. Dundee fought a draw with Kilbane for the championship. Many thought that the Italian won the right to the decision.

Willie Ritchie either knocked Rivers silly or made him quit whichever way you care to take it. Dundee walloped Ritchie all over the ring and declared afterward that it was one of his easiest fights.

FIGHTERS COMPARED.

Two more splendid specimens of athletic manhood do not live than these two boys—the Mexican and the Italian.

Dundee, in the beginning with no better advantages than Rivers, has now become the better of the two by hard work. Rivers is as fond of luxury as a cat. He hates hard work and, during much of his ring career, has not taken good care of himself. Dundee, on the other hand, is a hard-working little Italian fish vender. His father keeps a fish market in New York and he got his start boxing on the sidewalk with allcomers while the fish selling was slack.

He has worked faithfully and has lived a sober, clean life. A simple, plain diet has kept up his strength and his wind until he is now the most strenuous boxer in the ring. There is no doubt in the world that Dundee can set a faster pace and keep it up for twenty rounds than any other boxer in the ring.

He has fought more fights than Rivers. In the beginning, Rivers was fed upon a succession of set-ups, while Dundee had to take them just as they came. Rivers fought at long intervals, his fights usually coming three or four months apart, while Dundee often fought more than one fight a week.

RIVERS A HITTER.

Of the two Rivers is the better hitter and has a better record of knockouts. The reason of this advantage of the Mexican's is that he sets himself to hit and then hits like a German seige gun, while Dundee bounces in the air when he hits and loses much of the force that he ought to have.

Rivers has a big advantage in weight. The articles require them to weigh 133 pounds at 3 o'clock this afternoon. This will bring Rivers into the ring at 135 or even 137. Dundee will not weigh over 129 pounds. He could easily make 126.

Dundee is in wonderful condition. Rivers is reported by the doctors to be on edge, but there are other reports that he is not quite at his best owing to the lack of hard enough work.

As to their comparative spirit, the advantage would seem to be with Dundee. He is as brave as a lion and speaks with the pleased delight of a little boy of the prospect of its being a hard and exciting fight. Rivers, on the other hand, has been beaten too many times. I never have believed that Rivers was "yellow" in the sense of his being afraid of being hurt, but he is easily discouraged and easily dismayed.

He is not liable to be hurt to any extent in this fight, but I do not believe he will be able to stand the fast pace Dundee will set. Rivers is a pretty well worn-out old war horse even though he is but 21 years old. His hands are bad and his wind has never been good after the fifteenth round.

Although Dundee has fought more ten-round fights than anything else and Rivers has usually fought over the twenty-round route, I believe that Rivers is a natural ten-rounder and Dundee's natural distance is twenty rounds.

Frank L. Woodward of Denver, the nominee for the presidency of the United States Golf Association, is also the chief executive of the Western Golf Association. The date of the annual meeting will be January 8 in New York.

LANGFORD BOUT UNDER THE BAN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—The Board of Supervisors have once again put up the bars against Sam Langford. At the regular meeting of the board today a resolution was passed, ordering Chief of Police White to stop the four-round bout that has been arranged between Langford and Sailor Ed Petroskey at the Pavilion Rink Friday night. This action was taken after the Police Committee of the board had given its sanction to the bout. Last week another bout with Langford the principal against two opponents was barred.

It was brought to the attention of the board it was dangerous to put up a fighter like Langford to batter an opponent like Petroskey.

Johnny Dundee and Joe Rivers.

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VENICE TIGERS HAD THEIR TROUBLES IN HONOLULU.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—Judging from clippings from the Honolulu papers at hand, the tour of the Venice Tigers was not all sunshine and flowers. Their first couple of games in the islands were successes, both from the standard of play and attendance, and then a legal war broke out. The management of the athletic park got into a row with Bert Lowrey, who was handling the tour, and the result was a legal battle. With a big crowd assured for the Sunday game, the park management got out an injunction and the contest had to be called off. The trouble was, according to the clippings, that the management wanted to take 50 per cent of the receipts and charged $50 extra for expenses, such as new balls and the like. This was considered excessive and an attempt was made to switch to another park. Then the injunction was secured. Finally the matter was settled so that the Tigers could play. The Tigers left on the steamer Sonoma on December 6 and are due to arrive here on Thursday and will likely have some interesting stories to tell.

TURNER MEDALS SAVED BY WIND.

Adverse conditions foiled all attempts to secure medals at Schuetzen Park Sunday, August Pachmayr only winning the right to wear for a month the championship medal of the Schuetzen Club. He was trying to annex this trophy as his personal property by a third consecutive monthly win, but as his score stood 206, instead of the required limit of 210, the worthy sergeant must start all over again.

Cold air, varying light, and treacherous winds combined to defeat all other riflemen, and the four class medals accordingly lie in the club lockers.

Joe Singer made 202 points; C. Krempel, 190; William Frick, 183; Dr. Taber, 166; O. Pachmayr, 180; H. Hinde, 176; Mrs. Krempel, 159; Hy Pfirrmann, 185; A. Mann, 164; M. Freise, 133; H. Hoyt, 134; L. Kreigs, 130; Sergt. Graham, 118.

Ringside.

MANDOT GIVES JOHNNY KILBANE A HARD BEATING.

Ringside Fans Hiss the Featherweight Champion Because He Refuses to Fight—Associated Press Calls it a Draw, but Referee Says Mandot had the Edge—A Tame Fight.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

The Associated Press gives Kilbane a draw with Mandot. It gives Kilbane the first two rounds and states that Mandot had an even break, if not a shade, in the other ten, with the possible exception of the eighth. Mandot left the ring without a mark while Kilbane was badly cut over one eye.

AKRON (O.) Dec. 7.—Johnny Kilbane no longer harbors the idea of becoming a lightweight. Joe Mandot, the southern baker boy, took all such ambitions out of his head here tonight in a twelve-round, no-decision contest, for the baker boy, boxing like the Mandot of old, gave the clever little featherweight champion the beating of his life. Kilbane did not have one round in his favor, so one-sided was the tilt, ten rounds going to the southerner and the remaining two being even.

Referee Smith gave it as his personal opinion after the go that Mandot had the edge and deserved the verdict. From a standpoint of fighting the bout was a disappointment, for Kilbane would not fight, depending on his cleverness and short, snappy lefts to tide him over. Because of this the crowd at stated intervals hissed their pride and joy for not fighting, while his admirers beseeched him to open up. The facts show that Johnny did not open up, so it still is a mooted question regarding his status as a fighter.

HISSES HEARD.

In the early rounds nothing was said when the feather boss permitted Mandot to dance around and score light lefts and a couple of right crosses to the face. For it was thought that Kilbane was merely feeling out his heavier opponent. However, when it came to the sixth session, with Joe having four rounds to his favor, the good fans began to get nervous.

In the seventh Johnny heard his first hisses, for Joe was banging him around the ring and forcing him to clinch to save trouble, he chased him around in the eighth, resorting to boxing only, refusing to mix matters at any stage.

Here Mandot held him even and then began working on his body in the ninth. This brought about the desired effect, for the Cleveland boy became troubled, started doubling it, and incidentally allowed himself to be hit oftener and harder than he has ever been hit before.

TORE INTO HIM.

The tenth brought the riot for Mandot, opening up from the gong, here after Johnny with a vengeance. He followed him all around the ring, which was a twenty-foot affair, for Kilbane's benefit, landing blow after blow. About the middle of the period Mandot went into a clinch, and as they broke shot in a straight left which rocked his rival's head. Quick as a flash Mandot slammed over a right cross which had been falling short, and it caught the champion in the left eye. He yelled "murder," claiming Joe butted him, and was using his elbows. This brought a laugh from the crowd, despite Kilbane's condition, for his eye was almost closed and blood was pouring over his face in streams.

Between rounds Kilbane almost cried in his corner, for blood and a bad mark was something new to him.

LEAGUE CHIEFS IN CONFERENCE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—President B. Barrow of the International Baseball League indicated today that the franchises of the Baltimore and Jersey City teams would be transferred to Richmond, Va., and Syracuse, N. Y., respectively. The meeting of the league, which opened today, is not expected to be finished before the latter part of the week.

A shorter playing schedule for the season of 1915 also will be strongly advocated by President Barrow.

All the National League magnates were entertained at dinner here tonight by President Hempstead of the local club. President John K. Tener was expected to arrive late tonight, but too late to take part in a proposed session of the national commission. Garry Herrmann, as chairman of the commission, said they would meet tomorrow.

The inference is that some drastic action in regard to the Federal League and several players who have deserted organized baseball will be recommended.

MARQUARD QUIETS HIS OWN TITLE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—An affidavit in which R. W. Marquard declares he is under no binding contract with any team other than the Brooklyn Federals was received in the office of President Gilmore today, attached to the document in which the New York pitcher agrees to play for the Wards. Gilmore displayed the affidavit as an answer to charges that Marquard was under contract with the New York Nationals, hence could not legally join the Brooklyn team.

The Federal president also displayed a contract in which Ed Konetchy of the Pittsburgh Nationals agrees to play for the Pittsburgh Federals.

ILLEGAL SHOTS TO BE STOPPED.

Hunting earlier than a half hour before sunrise is under the ban. The Fish and Game Commission will enforce the State law. Reports have come in that there has been shooting as early as an hour before sunrise in the club districts as well as by the road shooters.

"The club hunters," said Commissioner Pritchard, "set up an awful holler at the Federal law which forbids shooting before sunrise. Now these men are breaking the State law, which allows them to shoot a half hour earlier. Give them an inch and they want a mile. But we will enforce that State law."

The Federal Fish and Game Act is before the Supreme Court of the United States now. The Federal authorities will not enforce it until it is held to be constitutional. In the meantime the State law still holds and will be enforced.

Real Facts.

HUNTER FOUND A PARADISE.

Camera Man Returns from Siberian Coast.

Tells of Game Wealth and High Shooting.

How to Get it and How to Eat It.

BY WILLIAM M. HENRY.

For the sportsman who wants big game, the kind that is hard to get and at the same time is really plentiful, Kamchatka and the borderland of Siberia is the place to go.

Fred LeRoy Granville, camera man for the Sunset Motion Picture Company of San Francisco, has just returned from a trip through that region with a bunch of trophies that would make the Smithsonian Institution look like a second-hand shop.

"When it comes to real sport, hunting the Kamchatka grizzly, the walrus and the mountain sheep surpass anything in the world for excitement," said Granville.

NO FLIES ON HIM.

"The Kamchatka grizzly is a huge bear, almost like the grizzly we find in the Rockies, but a thousand times more ferocious and difficult to stop. They run in packs of nine or ten and are very inquisitive, and are the hardiest animals I ever saw.

"I have a picture here of one of the big brown brutes that we shot half a dozen times in different portions of his spacious anatomy before we managed to bring him down with a shot in the back of the head. The best part of Kamchatka grizzly hunting is that the animals have fine fur all the year round and are not 'moth-eaten' in summer, as is the case with most bears.

HOW TO GET THERE.

"A dandy way to get some of this hunting is to take a trip over there on a boat owned by the Hibbard-Swenson Company of Seattle. This man Swenson has lived in Siberia, and has the hunting privileges. He is to leave April 1, this coming year, on his annual trip to Kamchatka, and has a bunch of hunters going with him on his whaling schooner, the Belvidere.

"The first stop you make is at Petropavlovsk, the most northerly open port, and from there you start north along the coast; and there is so much game up there that you can't miss it.

PROPER EQUIPMENT.

"The equipment that you need is a high-power rifle and a lot of ammunition. For myself, I found that an 8-mm. Mannlicher rifle was the best. It hits hard, and does the business if you aim straight. The atmospheric conditions up there are absolutely wonderful, and you can shoot perfectly. You must have an open sight on your gun. Peep sights and telescope sights are worse than useless.

"The Kamchatka grizzly is a huge brute measuring ten and twelve feet in length, and is a terrific fighter. The wolverine is smaller, and equally ferocious. The mountain sheep is fine shooting and the native guides picked up at East Cape can take you right up close to them. All of these animals are good shooting and fairly easy to get at.

"Getting north of East Cape you reach the place where the animals are harder to get. The seal is especially hard to get. It is a very wary animal and only a really wonderful shot can kill one, as it must be hit squarely in the head to kill it."

Up in the ice floes the boat becomes merely a base for the hunting expeditions. The natives in their oomiaks, native canoes made of walrus hides, take the hunters all over, and the game is found on the ice.

EXCITING WORK.

Walrus hunting is perhaps the most exciting sport of the bunch. The animals travel in herds of from 400 to 2000, and scatter into smaller flocks of forty to fifty animals. They get together in these flocks on the ice floes and are difficult to approach because of their wonderful sense of smell.

They are tremendously hardy animals, and, to quote Granville, "you can fill their stomachs so full of bullets that they can hardly swim without hurting them very much. You have to get them in the head to kill."

HANDY WOLFHOUND.

Granville had an exciting experience with his dog "Si," a magnificent Siberian wolfhound, presented to him by some natives. He and Si were cruising around in a small oomiak when they encountered a walrus taking his morning bath.

Granville shot the animal squarely in the eye, but, wounded and infuriated, it charged him hooked its tusks over the stern of the oomiak and spilled dog and man into the icy water. Burdened with the weight of his furs, and chilled by the water, Granville was having a hard time making the nearest icefloe, but grabbed "Si" by the fur and the dog, a powerful swimmer, towed him to the floe.

GREAT VICTORY.

On another occasion Si was attacked by a huge polar bear, and the two animals put up an awful fight. Granville was afraid to shoot for fear he would hit the dog. The superior speed of Si won the battle, however. He got around behind the bear and fastened his fangs in its neck, pulling and tearing until he had bitten completely through the bear's spine.

The polar bear hunting isn't so exciting. The animals are rather plentiful and exceedingly easy to hit because of their curiosity. They live on seal and walrus, both of which they kill with mighty wallops from their paws. The polar bear is a wonderful swimmer, and is exceedingly dangerous when injured.

GENEROUS FOES.

A peculiar feature of the walrus hunting is that the animals use their tusks to pull a boat over, but once this is done, they leave the scene and never attempt to harm the men struggling in the water. The tusks are not primarily for offense but are used for gathering food.

The walrus lives exclusively on clams, which are very plentiful in the North. The animal dives to the bottom and digs around, eating mud, clamshells, rocks and everything else. Their wonderful intestinal organism is able to digest the whole business.

FINE FISHING.

Off the Kamchatka coast between Petropavlosk and East Cape, is fine fishing. Salmon are found in the ocean, and rainbow and salmon trout in the streams. It is possible to get a rise in any stream by merely whipping it up and the fish are remarkably fine eating.

"It is a remarkable fact that nearly

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Leroy Granville and his trophies.

In the lower right hand corner Granville is showing the teeth of his dog, "Si," which accomplished the downfall of the husky Polar bear whose skull faces him. Above are a few of the walrus, bear, mountain sheep and seal skulls brought back from the North. The smaller inserts are enlargements from Granville's moving picture films. Above is a wounded Kamchatka grizzly bear about to die, and below, a Polar bear carcass is being hoisted aboard the boat.

WHY HOWARD DREW IS THE WORLDS FASTEST SPRINTER.

Howard Drew is the fastest sprinter in the world because there is perfect teamwork between his mind and body. The brain thought and the muscle action are instantaneous; the nerve charge between the two flashes faster than electricity.

There have been only a few great athletes so equipped. It crops out like genius rarely in certain races. Two present-day boxers have it—Jack Johnson and Joe Rivers. They fight by instinct not by science. They don't figure out how they hit or parry a blow. They just do it. It is the same thing that makes a horse jerk its head away when you strike at its nose. The Anglo-Saxon and the Teuton races have never produced such athletes.

Drew has a body that is made for speed. He has the most marvelous set of muscles in his legs of any athlete that ever lived, according to experts. They lie under his thin skin in a meshlike scheme, every fiber clearly defined. They tremble when he runs like those of a thoroughbred race horse, when it is excited. They are as soft and pliable as those of a panther. There isn't a hard knot in his whole body.

When he runs he glides along like a shadow. There is no more exertion to his efforts than in those of an animal. He dents out of his marks a half the length of his body ahead his nearest competitor, and moves along so easily they seem to be falling back. He has terrific driving force in his legs and a terrible pull. They are so equalized that his running is not jerky. He neither bounds nor paws.

He is deep-chested and developed like a gymnast through the lungs. He can run a hundred yards on two breathe and have his lungs full at the tape.

His arms and body move in rhythm with his legs. When he runs every part of his body is action. When he is striving hardest, he is smiling. His body is a perfect speed motor.

He has a brilliant brain to go with it. He has the quick wits peculiar to his race and, in addition, a brain that grasps a subject immediately. Howard Drew never has to read a lesson through more than once. He answers a question before the asker has time to finish it.

That is the remarkable brain that works in co-ordination with his wonderful body. The two give the answer to the question why Drew is the greatest sprinter in the world.

Drew never had to be taught to run. He ran in perfect form from the start. No coach has ever attempted to alter anything in his running.

He runs just like a deer. It always knew how to run, so did Drew.

Drew never has to train hard. He gets out and jogs up and down the track a few times, takes a few starts, sprints a hundred yards and goes in for a rubdown. The first week at U.S.C. he ran the hundred yards in 9 4-5s. At the end of the season he ran it in 9 3-5s. He broke the seventy-yard mark in New York one week, and tied the world's record in the century the next week in Berkeley.

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[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

...YORK, Dec. 7.—If advance ...on what should be done is ...of what to expect, drastic ...will be taken by the national ..., the National League and ...National League here this ...regard to methods adopted ...League promoters and the ...of players to the new organ-

...exception, every club owner ...here has had something ...ning the Federals, and ...not to be outdone, have ...that a club may be ...York City next season. ...mann, chairman of the ..., characterized the ... Brooklyn Federals of ... a great mistake," add- ... that it was the New ... and unless President ... conceded action it was no ... Herrmann also ... negotiations with ... relative to the ... Chicago Cubs, and in- ... between the old and ... organizations, would ... the national commis- ... expected to meet today. ... commission chairman ... one of the defensive ... to be adopted would be a ... from organized baseball ... are now, or may in the ... identified with the Federal ...

...ferson of the Pittsburgh ... his manager, Fred Clarke, ... something to say about the ... former declaring that he ... have a player on his team ... deserted organized base- ... outlaws. Other club own- ... similar opinions, indicat- ... uppermost on the pro- ... the National League meet- ...

...HELD TO DRAW BY BENS.

...JOE IN THE EARLY ..., BUT IS GROGGY ... TWELFTH.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

...Dec. 7.—Joe Chip of Pitts- ...and Leo Bens, champion mid- ... of the Northwest, tonight ... rounds to a draw after ... hardest fights ever wit- ... city. Bens earning a ... by his superior showing in ... rounds of the contest. Had ... continued several more ... impression prevailed that ... have knocked Bens out. ... himself a glutton for ... and took every punch the ... had to offer. Bens out- ... although he drove in ... blow with pile-driving ... Klemmer just shook his ... and bored in. ... sat on his haunches and ... when the gong of the ... sounded the fight.

...ALL TEMPTING ...RIAL PLAYERS.

...LEAGUE SCOUT BUSY ...ING TO SIGN MEN. ...ROSE BITE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

...TON, Dec. 7.—George Sto- ... Irving Kantlehner, the ... pitcher from the Northwest- ... a $4500 contract for three ... today. The young pitcher ... to consider it. ... Bancroft of the Cleveland ... and Irish Meusel of the ... Americans, both outfield- ... the cold shoulder on him. ... Roy Corhan and Catcher ... of San Francisco, Roy ... and Jack Ryan of Los ... made offers. But none ... acceptance.

...MORE SIGNS CHIEF BENDER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

...(Md.) Dec. 7.— ... Albert Bender, former pitch- ... Philadelphia Athletics, has ... contract to play ... Federal League ... officially announced to-

Indoor Ball.

L.A. HIGH FACULTY TROUNCES SENIOR A'S.

THE Los Angeles High School faculty gave the senior A's the trouncing of their lives in yesterday's indoor baseball game. The faculty won, 25 to 4. The seniors were simply outclassed.

Ralph Noble was in the box for the teachers. He was a trifle wild the first inning, but steadied down. He struck out ten.

The senior twirlers were at the mercy of their hard-hitting teachers. They yielded no less than twenty-one hits. The fielders could not withstand the onslaught.

Van Patten behind the bat, Oliver on first, Clendenin at short, Featherstone at third and Sheffee in right field, played regular ball.

The A 11's challenged the faculty to a game. But the faculty was too stuck up to consider such a thing.

"Go and get a reputation," was Coach Clendenin's edict.

The faculty will consent to playing the junior college team, however. It even threatens to challenge the Poly and Manual faculties.

A 5-cent admission is charged to the games. The gate is to be used for building bleachers on Housh Field.

The box score:

DATES FOR LEAGUE TEAM MATCHES—1915.

	At L. A. C. C.	At Annandale	At S. G. V. C. C.	At Virginia C. C.	At Victoria C. C.	At Redlands C. C.	At Midwick C. C.	At Orange Co. C. C.
L. A. C. C.		May 16	Jan. 23	Jan. 9	May 1 p.m.	Apr. 3	Apr. 17	May 15
Annandale C. C.	Mar. 20		Feb. 13	Mar. 13	Jan. 23	Apr. 3	May 15	Feb. 20
S. G. V. C. C.	Mar. 6	Feb. 27		Mar. 20	May 1 a.m.	Apr. 3	Jan. 9	May 22
Virginia C. C.	Mar. 23	Apr. 17	Feb. 6		May 1 a.m.	Apr. 3 a.m.	Jan. 16	Feb. 13
Victoria C. C.	Mar. 16	Apr. 21	Jan. 30 a.m.	Feb. 20		Jan. 9	Feb. 7 a.m.	May 22
Redlands C. C.	Mar. 13	Apr. 24	Jan. 30 p.m.	May 8	Jan. 16		Feb. 6	May 23
Midwick C. C.	Mar. 17	Mar. 21	Mar. 27	Feb. 13	Apr. 30 p.m.	Apr. 3		May 22
Orange C. C.	Mar. 18	Feb. 6	Jan. 16	Jan. 23	May 1 p.m.	Apr. 3	Jan. 9	

Handicaps.

TENNIS TOURNEY BEGINS AT L.A. HIGH TODAY.

A HANDICAP tennis tournament begins at Los Angeles High School this afternoon. Thirty-two have entered, among them all the Hilltop stars. The first-team cracks will play at scratch and the other players will be given fitting handicaps.

Two or three matches will be played every school day. It will take until the Christmas holidays to run it off.

Manager Charlie Noyes arranged the tournament at the suggestion of Vice-Principal Oliver. It is an attempt to revive the interest in tennis among the Cliffdwellers. The students had lost their enthusiasm for the game in spite of such stars as McCormick and Barber.

This year's first-team men are Clever, Peterson, Dorn and Brent. The captain of the second team is Fred Cooke. All of these men will give away handicaps.

Clover and Peterson are two of the most promising players in prep ranks. They both created mild sensations at the Long Beach tournament last summer. Clever was then a Pasadena man. They will soon make the Cliffdwellers forget McCormick and Barber, who graduated last June.

The large number of entries indicates a revival of tennis interest. The competition should develop many players.

DOUBLE PLAYS ON COAST.

THANKS to the fact that Gus Hetling led the third basemen in total double plays started during 1914; the Oakland tallenders enjoyed the distinction of having more double plays started from the third-sack corner of the infield than any other club. Hetling started eighteen double plays, and Metzger of Los Angeles ran him a close race, finishing second with seventeen double killings started. Oakland third basemen started a total of twenty double plays; Los Angeles, eighteen; San Francisco, fifteen; Portland, fourteen; Sacramento, thirteen, and Venice, twelve, as follows:

Oakland—Hetling, 18; Guest, 2.

Los Angeles—Metzger, 17; Sawyer, 1.

San Francisco—O'Leary, 10; Cartwright, 3; Jones, 2; Charles, 1.

Portland—Koerg, 9; Davis, 3.

Sacramento—Hallman, 8; Cook, 4; Orr, 2; Gay, 1.

Venice—Litschi, 10; Hosp, 2.

Tommy Tennant of Sacramento was the class of the first basemen in the Coast League in 1914 when it came to starting double plays. Tennant started eleven double plays, as many as three San Francisco players who held down the first sack, and these Sacramento and San Francisco were tied for first honors, each with eleven double plays started from first base. Venice was next in line with nine; Portland, seven; Los Angeles, six, and Oakland, five, as follows:

Sacramento—Tennant, 11.

San Francisco—Howard, 6; Charles, 4; Cartwright, 2.

Venice—Berton, 9.

Portland — Derrick, 4; Koerg, 4; Spass, 1.

Los Angeles—Ahstein, 3; Meek, 1.

Oakland—Gardner, 3; Nunn, 2.

Good Matches.

WHITE AGAINST SHUGRUE; CLABBY FIGHTS GIBBONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Two corking good matches enlivened the local fight situation today. One of them is assured, the other is practically certain. Here they are.

Charlie White versus Joe Shugrue for the American lightweight championship; closed for Madison Square Garden, New York, on December 23; weight 133 at 6 o'clock; ten rounds.

Jimmy Clabby versus Mike Gibbons for the middleweight championship of the world; terms offered by Promoter Tom Andrews acceptable to Clabby and probably will be approved by Gibbons, date to be announced later.

Jimmy Johnston, matchmaker for the Madison Square Garden crowd closed the White-Shugrue match after vainly attempting to land the Clabby-Gibbons go also. Clabby's terms as quoted by Manager Larney Lichtenstein were too high for Johnston.

Hunters' Paradise

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all of these animals to be found up there are fine eating," said Granville. "Take the whale, for instance. You cut the black meat into long strips, with blubber hanging on to it, and boil it for a couple of hours, the fat gets hard; and when eaten with salt and pepper it is hardly possible to tell the difference between it and almonds.

RICH FEASTS.

"The walrus is also good eating. It tastes a good deal like bear meat. The liver and the heart are great delicacies. Seal tastes just like mutton, when it is boiled or cooked as a pot roast. The only two animals not so very good are the ducks, which are too salty, and the polar bears which are too rich and heavy.

"The natives just get in and eat everything. It is a hard job for them to kill enough to keep them going, so they never waste a thing. They boil everything. The walrus meat they allow to decay and then beat it to a pulp with hard tack, or some other kind of biscuit, and eat it.

WONDERFUL BOATMEN.

"The native men are wonders. They are the greatest boatmen in the world, and a two or three hundred-mile trip for them in the open sea in their canoes is absolutely nothing. They go out in the roughest weather in a small canoe and never ship a cup full of water.

"They have a peculiar method of hunting ducks. They take five strands of thin walrus-hide rope and fasten them together, at one end with a sort of leather handle. On the other ends of the ropes they fasten small pieces of ivory which weight down these ends.

"The ducks fly in dense flocks, very near the surface. As they approach, the natives whirl the little ivory balls around their heads and throw them in the air. The strings tangle around the feet and necks of the ducks, and the natives run up and wring their necks. They are very expert and can throw these weapons a hundred feet or more."

LONG TRIP.

Granville's trip was taken from Seattle in a little 110-foot gasoline schooner, and between April and November of this year, covered over 20,000 miles. During this time he sealed off 40,000 feet of him, something over seven miles of it. He was assisted by Charles Zallabra.

The schooner reached a point 71 degrees 33 minutes north, which is as far north as anybody has been recently. It reached Wrangel Island, rescued the members of the Kariuk expedition, and later transferred them to the United States Revenue Cutter Bear, which landed them at Nome.

Granville is seriously contemplating a return trip to the north with his camera and gun on the Belvidere this coming April.

WESTERVELT TO UMPIRE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—James A. Gilmore, president of the Federal League, tonight announced that Umpires Westervelt, formerly of the American Association, and Flaneran of the International League had been assigned to officiate for the Federals next year.

ON WITH THE GAME!

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 7.—The football association decided today to proceed with the annual cup competitions, both amateur and professional, during the coming session, and this in spite of the allegations made in some quarters recently that the playing of football had interfered with recruiting.

The Burning of Antwerp

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On a summer's morning in fair Normandy, now highest to a thousand years ago, a tanner's daughter went far into the forest plucking flowers and singing by the way. Happened that Duke Robert likewise went a-hunting that eventful day and spied Arletta's pretty feet twinkling in the brookshine. Straightway he fell in love, and for all her blushes, sat her on his steed and bore her to his castle.

Duke William was their son, and he became, in man's estate, the King of Merrie England. And now the blood of George, fifth of that name to sit an English throne, pricks just a little fiercer and more fast, because high-mettled with the ruddy drops, rutilant in his Hanoverian veins, from fair Arletta and her Viking-fathered Robert.

Came a bright October day, in Christian calendar, year thousand-sixty-six, and saw forgathered on the Sussex sands a vast array of Norman knights and men-at-arms.

In that year Saxon Harold was the King of England. Far to the northward he had made new march to meet the King Hardrada and his men of Norway. His traitor-brother, Tostig, too, had sided with the foe. And when his mother's son despatched a messenger to know what lands he might possess if that he changed again to Harold, the King sent back reply in these rude words: "But seven feet of English earth for grave; not more!" And next day in battle perished King Hardrada, and Tostig, and all their men. Then went King Harold down to York and held high wassail with his nobles. And in the very midst of this carousal came tidings of Duke William with all his knights and men-at-arms at Hastings by the sea. So Harold quitted York and marched by day and night until he came unto the high hill-lands of Senlac, o'ertopping Hastings, and there set up the golden oriflamme of England.

And Norman William moved to meet him with his fifty thousand men. For Harold, with his lesser host, would not come down. From nine by morning sun till three hours after tide of noon went on the battle. And to and fro, the English—and up and back again the Normans—like two opposing currents of contrary seas. Was heard great din and noise of shout, with clang and clash of huge two-handed sword on shield; of lance and battle-ax and mace and bill. And in the throng and press of battle came up a Norman Knight and smote King Harold hard upon the ventail of his helmet, so that he fell and rose no more. And when the Normans took the standard of the stricken king, as right soon afterward they did—the English saw no longer any hope—and left the field and fled who could.

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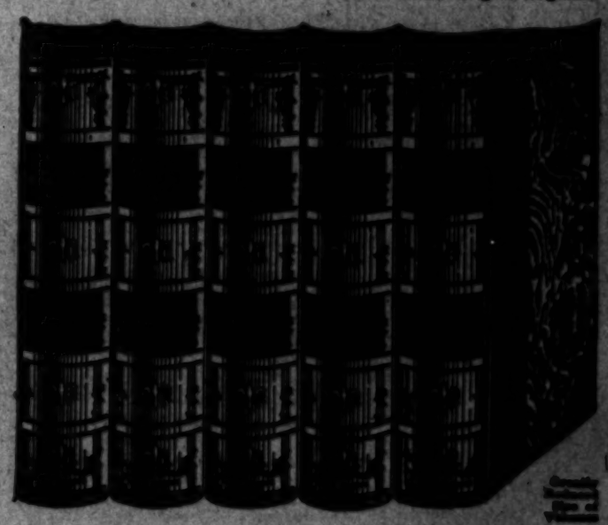

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AT THE STAGE DOOR

BY GRACE KINGSLEY

Grace Edmund of the Gaiety company tells a very funny story about Pat Casey's start in life, as related to her by Pat himself. Of course Mr. Casey is one of the vaudeville face cards now, but his start, as related by himself, was most humble.

"Mr. Casey says he and his brother lived on a farm, and didn't like it," said Miss Edmund. "So they decided to tattoo the cow and take her to exhibit at country fairs. Their father gave them permission and they finally got that cow marvelously tattooed, though, as Mr. Casey says, tattooing a cow is no small task.

"'And what do you think,' said Mr. Casey. 'We finally got the money together, all we could rake and scrape, for our own fare and the cow's, loaded her and started out on the train. And when we were 100 miles from home, the train was wrecked and our tattooed cow was killed! Talk about your hard luck!'"

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Ednah Goodrich is on her way from England, to come to California and play in motion pictures for the Lasky Company.

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Texas Guinan, former favorite with the Lyceum company in this city, later of New York's Broadway, has withdrawn from "The Little Cafe" and will join the "1915 Follies" tour to the Coast.

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Tabloid screen musical comedies are the latest thing in moving pictures.

The Renfax Company in New York announces, to the Orpheum management here that it has perfected its moving-talking pictures, and has now in rehearsal a company headed by Jose Collins, backed by two principals and a chorus of twenty, to produce a fifteen-minute singing sketch before the moving picture camera and talking machine.

It is expected that two or three weeks will be taken to perfect the double record, which will then be put on the big time in vaudeville.

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That cunning canine, "Flickers," in "Martha-by-the-Day," at the Mason, was just a plain little yellow, nondescript creature, rescued from the New York pound a moment before he was to pass from this vale of tears.

He goes through his part like a veteran actor. At first the stage hands had to tease him and get him mad, to get him to work his little dog fight "off," but now as soon as he gets his cue, he is right on the job with one of the finest prop dog fights ever in captivity.

He's a very successful traveler, too, and his keeper tells me he nearly always manages to sneak into the car with the rest of the company, and keep his identity hidden from any official-looking person during the entire trip.

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Forbes-Robertson is selling his autographed photograph for $1, the money so collected being devoted to the National Relief Fund.

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May Robson, starring in "Martha-by-the-Day" at the Mason, is British, and of course a suffragette.

"The women of England are doing wonderful things at present," she said, "and I believe it is their organization in suffrage matters that makes their present efficient organization and work possible."

Miss Robson relates that she was in England at the breaking out of the war.

"I came home in the Minnehaha," said Miss Robson, "and Capt. Frank Claret is a reservist. Before we landed in New York he and many of his crew had been ordered by wireless to report to the colors.

"Later I learned that he was put in charge of the Lusitania, which made its sensational run to London from New York. After we had been out on the ocean a few days, Capt. Claret told me, one foggy morning, that a big liner had just dashed past him, so close that one could have thrown a stone upon her deck. She turned out to be the Kronprinzessen Cecile, the German boat with $10,000,000 aboard which soon afterward turned back to Bar Harbor to avoid capture."

Miss Robson's nephew, George Pinkhard, owns 2000 acres in Surrey, where he was living at the outbreak of the war. Since that time he has given the entire use of this estate to the British army to be employed for raising horses for the cavalry forces. The beautiful home is now a hospital for soldiers, the pictures have been sold, and even Mr. Pinkard's own pet pony has been taken to the front to serve as a carrier of dispatches."

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Forbes-Robertson, is of course a knight, but modesty disdains to use his title for business purposes.

He tells an amusing story, too, about Sir Henry Irving, who also refused to use the handle to his name on the posters.

"Finding," said the actor, "that his title was being used, against his wish, for publicity purposes, shortly after he had received it, Irving wrote direct to the printers saying that in the future he would like to be known as simple Henry Irving. What was his dismay to find on coming to the next town that the printer had taken him all too literally, and that the billboards bore the strange device of 'Simple Henry Irving!'"

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Great little fellow that Charlie Chaplin! Comes now no less a person than Miss Gertrude Hoffman, and tells me she considers Charlie Chaplin the most wonderful comedy pantomimist she ever saw.

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Harry B. Cleveland returned to vaudeville at Pantages yesterday, after a round trip taken through melodrama, musical comedy and moving pictures. He says he's glad to get back home, and he ought to be, considering his reception yesterday.

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Spottiswoode Aitken, the well-known character actor with the Griffith Mutual forces, is all smiles as the result of his baby daughter, Frances, walking away with the blue ribbon at the prize baby contest recently held in Pasadena.

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First Show.

Stories of first appearances of great actors are always interesting.

Maybe the great Forbes-Robertson would have been a noted painter instead of a noted actor if one of the younger players in "Mary Stuart," being put on by W. G. Wills, a friend of Sir Robertson's father, hadn't failed in his part.

"Why not try Johnston?" the actor's father asked, half in a joke, for he did not know his son to have any histrionic ability.

May Robson goes Christmas shopping

In Los Angeles. Miss Robson confesses that she has been saving her money for a grand splurge in the Los Angeles shops. Yesterday, on her arrival in the city, she bought a new Oldsmobile of Capt. Ryus, who is shown in the picture acting as the chauffeur for the actress, who is an old friend.

So the boy pluckily undertook the role. Forbes-Robertson describes the eventful night of his first appearance on the stage:

"It was a terrible night. I shall never forget it! Coming down the rickety, creaking staircase of the old Princess Theater in London, very nervous about my make-up (the manager had insisted upon having my hair curled,) I heard a stage hand cry out, 'Bill, 'ere comes the ghost of Hamlet's father!' How I ever lived through that night, I don't know."

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If you saw a big red light in the sky last night, hope you didn't think the city was on fire. It was merely a new method of advertising adopted by John D. Callicott, the enterprising manager of the Woodley Theater, to let the public know that he is featuring "Northern Lights."

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Roller-skating is a kindergarten stunt compared to most of the things movie actors have to do. Nevertheless, Clifford Howard is planning a motion-picture actors' night, on behalf of the Entertainment Committee of the Roller Skaters' Association of Southern California.

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The Miller's Theater management announce that they have secured the exclusive rights to produce the William Fox feature film productions, featuring some of the greatest stars on the American stage.

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Al Kauffman, State manager of the Famous Players, is in the city, arranging for the leasing of a studio, for the use of the Famous Players' Company.

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Miss Mary Pickford has just signed a contract for $2000 per week, with the Famous Players, and will be in the city next week.

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Carlyle Blackwell's next film for the Favorite Players will be Jacques Futrelle's "The High Hand."

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The Favorite Players' studio at Edendale is now equipped with artificial lights, so that work can be carried on in the darkest weather.

FOOTBALL TEAMS ELECT LEADERS.

A number of the leading college football teams of the East and West have already elected captains for the 1915 season. Among those selected are: Cochran, tackle, Michigan; Rider, half-back, Amherst; Stromberg, center, Northwestern; Castator, full-back, Trinity; Tompkins, full-back, Williams; Curran, tackle, Massachusetts Agricultural College; Leadbetter, full-back, Bowdoin; Hingsley, half-back, Wesleyan. It will be seen that the usual percentage in favor of backfield leaders prevails in the early selections.

Help!

MUNICIPAL LINKS NEED AN OFFICIAL MANAGER

Petition Now in Circulation Asking the City Council to Provide One — Edward Tufts States a Few Rules of Courtesy for Those Playing Golf for First Time. Clubhouse is Needed.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

CONFUSION worse confounded at the municipal golf course at Griffith Park, where players are flocking in their hundreds to enjoy the luxury of golf on their own city links, only to find that there is no sort of organization, no method, no management and everyone playing into everybody else all over the course.

That an official starter and manager of the course is absolutely essential if the links are to be properly enjoyed for golf is very evident. At present all is chaos on Saturdays and Sundays, direction is every way excepting only up or down, and wild cries of "fore" in conjunction with still wilder calls of indignation greet the ear on all sides.

Conditions are, of course, essentially different from those at a private country club, where the members join in ones and twos and have ample time to learn the course individually and absorb the etiquette of the game. But on the municipal links there has been a rush of eager but very elementary players, knowing little of the game and nothing of the rules and etiquette which form so important a part of golf. Whole families, pa, ma, debutante Dorothy and college Willie, Miranda and the twins turn out for a round with one bag of clubs between them, all embryo champions maybe who ought to receive every encouragement if it can possibly be accorded without menacing the peace of mind of the other players. An official starter and a definite purveyor of information could bring order out of chaos in a very short time and it is obvious that our City Council must extend their bounty and furnish the wherewithal to make our city links the genuine joy for which they were designed.

WHAT IS NEEDED.

A petition, signed by scores and scores of ardent golfers and would-be golfers is now in course of maturing, wherein Honorable Council will be humbly begged to give this matter their earnest attention. All the sporting goods stores have the petition for signature.

A clubhouse of some kind is very necessary. Two thousand dollars would cover it. A cheap frame building amply supplied with lockers for which a charge of 25 cents a month could be made as in the case of other municipally-owned courses. The cost of the locker is recovered in a year.

And facilities for getting to the course are urgently needed. There seems great scope for the jitney busses there if some enterprising proprietor would institute a reliable service on Saturdays and Sundays in connection with the Edendale car, which halts more than a mile from the links.

RULE FOR NEW GOLFERS.

In the meantime, Edward Tufts, president of the Golf Association, has formulated a few simple rules which all can understand and which will obviate a little of the present confusion. Here they are:

(1.) Precedence at the starting tee must be in order of registration. (This, however, presupposes a man with a book.)

(2.) No one should drive from the tee until the players in front have at least taken their second shot. At the short holes, one should wait until they are on the green.

(3.) Players looking for a lost ball should allow the succeeding players to pass through. Play should not be resumed until they are a full stroke ahead.

(4.) Slow players, losing a hole in distance, lose their rights, and should let succeeding players play through.

(5.) Flags should always be replaced in holes after putting.

(6.) Players cutting holes—i.e., skipping certain holes to shorten the round—forfeit all rights of precedence on the course.

(7.) On eastern municipal courses children under 16 are not allowed to play on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays. This is a very desirable rule for many reasons.

Courtesy and consideration for other players is an important part of golf and if these few simple rules are observed there need be no friction.

It is quite patent that our municipal course was not so much a civic luxury as a necessity. The numbers who are flocking to take advantage of the innovation proves how much it is appreciated. Four hundred thousand rounds were played on one Chicago course alone up to last week of this year, for 1914 alone. In our climate we should exceed this very easily for there are few days in the year when golf is not possible or pleasant in California.

Help the Belgian Sufferers

Big Squad.

BALL BEGINS AT OCCIDENTAL.

Thirty Freshmen Report for First Practice.

Eighteen Tigers are Eligible for Varsity.

"Doc" White Takes Charge Thursday.

Baseball practice began at Occidental yesterday afternoon. Forty-five Tigers reported to Capt. Johnson, thirty of them freshmen.

Manager Kirkpatrick gave out fifteen suits. That was all he had left over from last year. Only the upper classmen eligible for the varsity had a look-in. The freshmen had to play in their school clothes.

THE FRESH.

Still, the freshmen "hogged" the limelight. Thirty is the largest number of freshmen that ever reported for baseball at Occidental. It is remarkable since not one of them is eligible for the varsity. The freshmen rule bars them. They will form themselves into a team and play the varsity and the high schools.

Thirty is too large a squad, so they will be thinned down. "Doc" White will see to that when he takes charge Thursday. Manager Kirkpatrick will probably coach them. The captain will be elected after the weeding out.

THE VARSITY.

Eighteen players are out for the varsity. Seven of them made their letter last spring. The old men are Hall and Montijo, pitchers; McKellar, first base; McIntosh, second base; Porter, third base; Capt. Johnson and Squires, outfielders.

The others have all played baseball before. Most of them were on the second team last year. They are Pete Lenz, Temple, "Young" Kirkpatrick, Law, Hibbard, Smith, Cook, Hibbard, Squires, McDermott and Eichorn.

Lenz and Temple are trying out for catcher to fill the place left empty by Foster and Golf. There is some talk at Occidental of shifting McKellar to short and putting "Shorty" Smith at first. McKellar can play anywhere, but Smith is a first sacker.

WHITE TO COACH.

The players practiced at batting and catching the flies and grounders. Nobody cut loose and threw hard. Their arms are in no condition for it. It will be mostly fooling around until "Doc" White takes charge. But the men could not keep off the diamond a day longer.

"You see," explained Capt. Johnson, "White comes out to coach Thursday. We don't want to look too much like bushers when he looks us over."

It is too early to get a line on the freshmen. Some of them have high school reputations. Donaldson played third at South Pasadena. Collier was an outfielder in San Diego. Warren pitched for Santa Ana. The Pick brothers were the Hemet battery. The Holmes brothers played in Williams Jewel, a college in faraway Missouri.

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[LOCAL DESK.]

LONG BEACH, Dec. 7.—They do say that the Long Beach horseshoe pitchers, who are at it all day long and every day but Sunday in Pacific Park, can beat any team of the kind in this section of the world. The Pasadena team challenged the local tossers of the quoits to a match today, and the Long Beach men beat the Crown City aggregation by a score of twenty-six to twenty-four games. All of the Long Beach team are over 55 years of age.

L. A. GUN CLUB

C. M. Weed was high at Venice practice shoot of Los Angeles Gun Club, breaking 200 targets. Billy [illegible] percentage on 100 out of scores were:

Lee McMurray, [illegible] has, 91x100; S. A. [illegible] A. W. Bruner, 82x100; 46x50; Art. [illegible] Robinson, 79x100; [illegible] 71x100; C. Reed, [illegible] Towne, 39x50.

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WOMEN'S WORK, WOMEN'S CLUBS.

BY AGNES THURNAU.

special committee of the revi- of bylaws of the State federa- speaks well for the keenness of and wisdom of the present ent of the State federation, Mrs. Pray Palmer, who, it is re- by State officers of the federa- heartily opposes the color of poli- which the federation has taken der former regimes, and will use power at her command to com- the steadily increasing tendency ain members of the federation politics as such. If Mrs. Pal- personally examined every in the State as to fit qualifica- for the work of the revision of it is doubtful if she could made a finer recommendation she has in Mrs. Calvin Hartwell, L. Jones, and Mrs. B. F. Wal- to compose the special committee look into the matter of the of the bylws of the federation, redistricting and a more atic method of nominating of the federation have, of from time to time been con- and doubtless will be settled near future. The most impor- and significant consideration be- the revision of bylaws committee the safeguarding of the federa- wisely and forever securely from nipulation of the female poli- Mrs. Palmer, president, and in the federation offices are aware of the menace of the politician in the federation. are doing their utmost to settle ly and properly this matter, is one of the most serious that confronted any State president. It is for that Mrs. Palmer as presi- of the federation has been called to face peculiarly trying situa- which are the outcomes of spe- circumstances. It is doubtful if ministration of the State fed- ever produced more complex result problems than it does to- It is doubtful if the adminis- could be in safer, cleaner, scrupulous hands than Mrs. Lil- ay Palmer's. We are exceed- fortunate in having her for the one year, and for a year in tremendously significant steps n taken by the federation, one is the revision of bylaws. eration faces a crucial time, is the duty of women, aside their obligations to their clubs, any affiliations, to rally to the support of Mrs. Palmer in her to give the federation a clean, same and safe administration. pernicious activity in the part of the State as well as ders, and Mrs. Palmer repre- women of the State, not the not the north. Stand by her hand she takes for a clear- equitable, wise, and safe ad- nce. Let the welfare of wom- to the world, be above any personal prejudice—or the

Board Meeting.

will be a meeting of the Los district, C.F.W.C. board, at ter's, December 10.

Collegiate Alumnae.

will be an important business of the association of Col- Alumnae at the College Wom- Trinity Auditorium, December 12, at 2:30 p.m. are urged to be present, social hour will be held

Tropico.

proceeds of the Christmas country store, given by the of the Tropico Thursday Aft- Club, at K. P. Hall, will be the clubhouse building fund. total sum was realized.

Calpig Shakespeare.

Christmas programmes of the Shakespeare Club will be given December 10, at the resi- Mrs. Reuben Shettler, No. boulevard. In the aft- special Christmas social by Mrs. Alfred Allen, Two original play- by members of the club, of the day's pro-

Maccabees.

Hive No. 1, Ladies of of the World, will give card party for the benefit 's Hospital, Tuesday December 8. The affair will Scheid Hall, Mozart Thea- The Children's Hospital city's worthiest charities. women are interested in event prove highly success-

Associate Protective.

executive meeting of Protective Association Monday, 10 a.m., in the of- Association, No. 121 Tem-

Woman's City.

of the Woman's City be open to the public during of December, announces Darling of the board of The meetings of December will be devoted to discus- the charter amendments. meeting was one of the meeting of the year. David dent of the International Agriculture, addressed the on "Landwirtschafterath"— system for marketing would be difficult indeed that wherein David Lubin singular appeal to those him. He is shrewd, practi- the keenest possible grasp economic laws of supply market manipulations mental responsibility to- things, but that is not the his power and his success. per. It seems to me that this statement of his: "I something that has no stom- head, no eyes, no hands, no or not a creature at all. It and this ideal is the republic—yes, it, is even the American republic. republic is the servant nations. As it advances with hand, the torch of prog- civilization, it lightens up the world. That is the rea- existence. . . . So we see no ordinary business to behalf of this ideal. If there in this ideal, then there in any ideal. Then the all nonsense; then there is nihilism, and we by the power we call accidental worms, not absolute, the power behind the light appears, to work, and to more you know what has to my task." David Lubin listens to voices and and quite frankly says in a great spirit which the world, watches and in accordance to the strict- believes that the time is laws to become op- the life of humanity. He and his work the ideal of brotherhood, as a unit, and his

WOMEN'S WORK, WOMEN'S CLUBS.

BY AGNES THURNAU.

...special committee of the revi... of bylaws of the State federa... ...made well for the keenness of ... and wisdom of the present ...dent of the State federation, Mrs. ...Peyr Palmer, who, it is re... ...by State officers of the federa... ...heartily opposes the color of poli... ...which the federation has taken ...under former regimes, and will use ...her power at her command to com... ...the steadily increasing tendency ...of members of the federation ...politics as such. If Mrs. Pal... ...had personally examined every ...bill in the State as to fit qualifica... ...for the work of the revision of ...bylaws it is doubtful if she could ...have had a finer recommendation ...than she has in Mrs. Calvin Hartwell, ...Mrs. L. Jones, and Mrs. B. F. Wal... ...chosen to compose the special committ... ...to look into the matter of the ...revision of the bylaws of the federation, ...restricting and a more ...democratic method of nominating ...officers of the federation have, of ...course, from time to time been con... ...and doubtless will be settled ...in the near future. The most impor... ...and significant consideration be... ...fore the revision of bylaws committ... ...is the safeguarding of the federa... ...tion solidly and forever securely from ...the domination of the female poli... ...ticians. Mrs. Palmer, president, and ...all in the federation offices are ...aware of the menace of the ...female politician in the federation, ...and are using their utmost to settle ...this wisely and properly this matter, ...which is one of the most serious that ...has confronted any State president. It ...is the first Mrs. Palmer as presi... ...dent of the federation has been called ...upon to face peculiarly trying situa... ...tions which are the outcomes of spe... ...cial circumstances. It is doubtful if ...the administration of the State fed... ...eration ever produced more complex ...and difficult problems than it does to... ...day. It is doubtful if the adminis... ...tration could be in safer, cleaner, ...more conscientious hands than Mrs. Lil... ...lian Palmer's. We are exceed... ...ingly fortunate in having her for the ...ensuing year, and for a year in ...which tremendously significant steps ...are to be taken by the federation, one ...of which is the revision of bylaws. ...The federation faces a crucial time, ...and it is the duty of women, aside ...from their obligations to their clubs, ...their affiliations, to rally to the ...support of Mrs. Palmer in her ...efforts to give the federation a clean, ...sane and safe administration. ...Her meritorious activity in the ...larger part of the State as well as ...Mrs. Palmer, and Mrs. Palmer repre... ...sents women of the State, not the ...women of the north. Stand by her ...and she takes for a clear-...headed, wise, and safe ad... ...Let the welfare of wom... ...kind the world, be above any ...personal prejudice—or the ...club.

Board Meeting.

...will be a meeting of the Los ...Angeles C.F.W.C. board, at ...Hotel, December 10.

Alumnae.

...will be an important business ...meeting of the association of Col... ...Women at the College Wom... ...Club, Trinity Auditorium, ...December 12, at 2:30 p.m. ...All are urged to be present. ...Social hour will be held ...following.

Christmas.

...Christmas ...store, given by the ...Friday Afternoon Thursday Aft... ...at the Y. W. C. A. Hall, will be ...a most successful ...building fund. ...Over $100 was realized.

Shakespeare.

...programme of the ...Club will be given ...December 10, at the resi... ...Reuben Shettler, No. ...Boulevard. In the aft... ...Christmas social ...by Mrs. Alfred Allen. ...Two original play... ...members of the club, ...of the day's pro...

Maccabees.

...Hive No. 1, Ladies of ...of the World, will give ...party for the benefit ...Hospital, Tuesday ...8. The affair will ...Odd Hall, Mozart Thea... ...The Children's Hospital ...worthiest charities. ...are interested in ...prove highly success...

Protective.

...executive meeting of ...Protective Association ...10 a.m., in the of... ...Association, No. 121 Tem...

Woman's City.

...of the Woman's City ...open to the public during ...December, announces ...meeting of the board of ...meetings of December ...be devoted to discus... ...charter amendments. ...meeting was one of the ...year. David ...of the International ...Agriculture, addressed the ..."Landwirtschaftsrath"— ...certain for marketing ...would be difficult indeed ...wherein David Lubin ...popular appeal to those ...He is shrewd, practi... ...the best possible grasp ...economic laws of supply ...market manipulations ...social responsibility to... ...wages, but that is not the ...power and his success. ...It seems to me that ...statement of his: "I ...thing that has no stom... ...no eyes, no hands, no ...not a creature at all. It ...and this ideal is the ...—yes, it is even ...the American republic. ...republic is the servant ...As it advances with ...hand the torch of prog... ...it lightens up ...world. That is the rea... ...So we see ...ordinary business to ...of this ideal. If there ...this ideal, then there ...any ideal. Then the ...nihilism; then there ...is nihilism, and we ...social worms, not ...the power we call ...the power behind ...the light appears, ...work, and to more ...know what has ...David Lubin ...voices and ...frankly says ...great spirit which ...world, watches and ...to the strict... ...that the time is ...laws to become op... ...of humanity. He ...and his work ...brotherhood, ...unit, and his ...task is the plain, simple, practical one of building up an institution that will be a system of marketing produce so that prices may not be otherwise than equitable. That the bulls and the bears of the market places of the world may go hungry, not we. The entire system of the "Landwirtschaftsrath" is one that has worked out well in Germany, and enabled that country to control trade in certain directions. Established in a sound economic basis in the United States it would, Mr. Lubin contends, engender equitable trade conditions and eliminate the middleman of the markets, who adds the extra pennies to the cost of a pound of meat.

Cosmopolite.

ARRIGO SERATO, ITALIAN MASTER.

TALENTED VIOLINIST IN CONCERT TONIGHT.

Only Appearance in Southern California — Fresh from Triumphs in Old World Capitals. Italian Temperament Applied to German Spirituality.

It will be a surprised audience at Trinity Auditorium that hears Arrigo Serato, the Italian violinist, in the only concert in which he will be able to play in Southern California. This is the second visit to America of the man who is considered Italy's greatest virtuoso—the modern Paganini, who is called by Kreisler the "Caruso of the violin," and his first visit to the Pacific Coast.

When one quotes names like Ysaye, Kreisler, Elman, and with them Serato, he discovers that it takes a great, big brain, a big tone and exceptional ability to associate with such kings of the violin. Arrigo Serato at his hotel is a unique personality—almost a cosmopolitan artist—for it is only in the matter of birth that Italy can claim Serato as the greatest of his kind. By dint of intense application and study he has grasped and absorbed the German atmosphere to such extent that he has made Bach, Beethoven and Brahms intellectually and temperamentally his own. Bauer, in speaking of him, said: "I have heard the great Joachim play the same concerto, not greater than Serato, but never with such unequaled, noble tone." One feels his magical influence. The striking Roman figure and interesting head of this young Italian master correspond with his marvelous playing.

It is extraordinary when an Italian leaves his native country and inoculates himself with German music, but anyone talking with Serato discovers that he understands the contrasts of the impassioned dramatic emotions and melodies, and realizes why he is so acceptable in Berlin and Vienna or Paris, as well as his beloved Turin, Naples and Rome.

Serato's impassioned Italian love of beauty, warmth of color and the possessor of a weird fascination has much to do with his success in all countries. Although but a short time in America he expresses the opinion that, although German music is the highest and noblest—in fact, the spiritual music of all nations—it needs the temperamental spirit of the Italian to give it its proper color, and that America, now the melting pot of races, is gradually becoming the melting pot of music, and that it is an inspiration to play in this country before audiences who seem to have absorbed so much of the beauty of the virtuoso's work.

Serato has a peculiarly brilliant season back of him this year. In addition to numerous engagements in all large German and Austrian cities, he appeared in Paris, Geneva, Basel, Riga, St. Petersburg, Moscow, Kieff, and a number of Italian cities, visiting London in May. He found everywhere a hearty welcome, and music seemed to be the one subject in which all were in accord. Politics and commercialism seem to have floated away, and their awkward corners to have been rounded and smoothed by the musical life.

At the opening of the war he was comfortably domiciled in Berlin, his foster home, intending to leave only the first of January for this country. He finally made his way through Vienna and Trieste into Italy, obtaining a boat which would bring him direct to America. He had but little difficulty in obtaining passports, but in several instances was compelled to wait on himself at hotels and cafes in order to be served, owing to the shortage of help. He is glad to be in America and feels that eventually this will be the home of many of the musicians, composers and writers who at the present time have nowhere to lay their heads.

Tonight's recital is the only one in which Serato will appear in Los Angeles.

The Young Find Larned's History Fascinating

An Astonishing Interest Displayed by the Children of Los Angeles in a Great Historical Work.

We were told by competent critics when we first undertook the distribution of Larned's History of the World in Los Angeles, that we would find the children among its most enthusiastic admirers. We find this prediction has come true. Hundreds of boys and girls, even as young as ten years, have been among the crowds thronging our office daily, and have carried off their treasure with exclamations of delight. Their still smaller brothers and sisters pore over the illustrations by the hour. The reproductions of famous historical paintings in actual colors have an absorbing interest. The numerous half-tones with which the five volumes are embellished likewise afford endless fascination. No work of its kind has ever been so widely and beautifully illustrated. But the text is also a feature enjoyed by the young, since it is written in a style that is clarity itself, and easily understood and retained by the youthful mind. We do not hesitate to say that it is a real duty of the parents of this community to give their children a work that will inculcate a never-dying thrist for knowledge, and impart a taste for information of a kind that is bound to influence their whole lives for the best and worthiest things. The coupon printed daily in The Times will, we believe, exert an incalculable effect on the future generations of this city and other places where The Times circulates. The "History Coupon" should be clipped at once as the advantage it offers will probably not be obtainable much longer.

The books are on display at The Times main and branches offices, First and Broadway and 619 South Spring street.—[Advertisement.

Vaudeville and Pictures.

(Continued from Sixth Page.)

Canyon of Arizona, and the panorama unrolled incidentally to the telling of the story is magnificent.

Quinn's Garrick.

At the Garrick, this week, hundreds are enjoying the portrayal of James K. Hackett in "The Prisoner of Zenda."

It is unnecessary of state, so well is the story known, that the photoplay is replete with fascinating incident. Mr. Hackett is most delightful in the role of Rudolph.

An added charm is the lavish manner in which the photoplay has been staged.

Mozart.

No more picturesque nor thrilling photoplay has been produced than "The Virginian," with Dustin Farnum in the leading role, in which he fulfills one's ideal of the brave and husky frontiersman, with his delightful humor, his downrightness of character, and his simple, whole-hearted devotion to the pretty school teacher.

The piece is wonderfully staged amid scenes of mountain and plain, and reveals many gripping incidents of frontier life.

Miller's.

Miller's Theater this week presents Mme. Bertha Kalich in her supreme dramatic triumph, "Marta of the Lowlands," concerning which critics have declared that the piece is one of the greatest demonstrations of pantomimic art ever put on the screen.

The production is lavishly staged down to the smallest detail.

The news pictorial is an added feature of the Miller programme.

Pantages.

Harry B. Cleveland and a clever little company put on an original sketch at Pantages yesterday afternoon for the first time that is quite in a class with the Harry Girard skits, and is sure of a wide welcome for the full extent of Pantages circuit, which has first call, or possibly of the Orpheum. The bright musical comedy which can be boiled down into a one-act performance of from twenty to thirty minutes is none too abundant, and Cleveland and his people are to be congratulated on the manner in which their initial performance was received. The scenario is too short and exceedingly vague, but the musical features are clear and sweet.

There is a male quartette which sings "Tipperary" rather better than we have had it in Los Angeles, and heaven knows we have had it with sentimental frequency from every stage and in all of our very good cabarets. There is also a trio consisting of the Romig twins and Blanche Trealease, which refines upon harmonising. It is rather remarkable for lighter vaudeville that neither the quartette, nor the trio place any undue emphasis on volume, but that both should subdue their really brilliant combinations exactly to suit the acoustics of the house.

The chances are that, despite its faults, this sketch will score a success throughout the country. It is better than nine out of every ten of the musical features that any vaudeville circuit has had the luck to propose this season. Somehow the war has left us barren enough of good new musical features from that other Broadway to this, which suggests that perhaps we have depended rather too much upon Vienna for the desirable in this line. Well, anyway, America at least has the consolation of the authorship of "Tipperary."

Pantages offered another original feature yesterday which, barring the defects of all initial performances, has a good chance to survive, especially if the three pretty girls from Garvanza who offer it will undertake something of a higher register for their soprano and will get their consent to do a little more in the way of artifice. The three Duncan sisters harmonize beautifully without having anything either new or catchy in songs and their yodler is a joy and entirely professional. Three of their numbers are quite superior and with a little more emphasis on their soprano and an acceptable substitute for their last number they will be entitled to a round of the circuit. They were exceedingly well received and considering the fact that this was their first public appearance they are to be congratulated upon their effort.

A feature of Pantages this week worth the attention of all theatergoers is the first ten minutes of pictures covering the waterfalls of the Yosemite. They are realistic enough to invite the imagination to follow every one of the rare old Indian legends which have been written around them and the sight of them fills one with a yearning for the actual appearance of that magical park.

Among many bright features of this capital bill, the most vivid is a backward flip turned upon a slack wire by a youngster named Togan.

Republic.

Florence Roberts, the noted emotional actress, appears in a new photoplay production of her famous dramatic success, "Sapho," at the Republic. For many years this was Olga Nethersole's starring vehicle.

Miss Roberts has many friends here, who are flocking to see her on the screen.

Six new vaudeville acts accompany the picture.

Hippodrome.

"Hee-Haw!" goes the mule. "Hee Haw!" goes the audience. That, in brief, is the story of the new show which opened the week at the Hip with the Monday matinee.

Of course the big feature is Fred Woodward, most noted of animal impersonafors, who does a most amusing "Good Old Hank" act, duplicating his funny performance in the "Tik-Tok Man."

Another act that went over big was Lawson and Manning. They have a good bunch of nonsense, some of it a bit risque, to be sure.

The spectacular feature is the Great Jester & Co., one of those illusion creations of the Keller and Hermann stamp. He makes lovely girls disappear and reappear in tightly locked trunks, and does other startling stunts.

The Witzells, musicians, and Allen and Dorothy as "The Man and the Doll," get over pleasingly, as does also Elizabeth Meyers, comedienne.

The new stock company, headed by Charles Royal and Edith Elliott, appear in "Straightening a Crook," and get a good share of the noise.

The Woodley.

"Northern Lights," an excellent film adaptation of the stage drama of the same name, headlines the Woodley bill this week. The picture is both dramatic and spectacular. Helen Dare, the talented emotional actress, has the leading role.

The stage drama was a decided favorite, and from the large crowds which viewed the piece yesterday, the photoplay version will prove equally popular.

BITES CAPTOR'S EAR.

Mexican, Alleged Burglar, Forces Japanese Grocer to Yell for Help; Patrolman Ends Melee.

Munching the other's right ear as he rolled in the mud, W. E. Sepulveda, an alleged burglar, painfully injured his captor, T. Hiraki, a Japanese grocer of No. 220 Sunset boulevard, early last night. Despite the pain in his ear the Japanese clung to his prisoner and with the help of a patrolman landed his man in the City Jail.

Notified by a boy that someone was breaking into his store, Hiraki ran from his rooms across the street and saw a Mexican entering. The Japanese at once attacked the intruder with his fists.

Rolling from the store to the street, and then into a large pool of water and mud, the Mexican and Japanese fought until the Mexican set his teeth in the grocer's right ear. Hanging to the Mexican the Japanese yelled for help and the alleged burglar was arrested by a patrolman. Both were treated in the Receiving Hospital and the Mexican was locked up.

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OLDEST PASTOR PASSES BEYOND.

"Father" Crawford Rests in Peace at Pasadena.

Hotel Green Plans Rose Ball for New Year's Eve.

Count Leases Sunnycrest, Dr. Burdette Home.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, Dec. 8.—In the passing, late Sunday night, of Dr. Levi Parsons Crawford, 91 years old, Pasadena has lost her oldest and one of her most beloved ministers. As the oldest Presbyterian minister in Southern California, Dr. Crawford founded perhaps a greater number of churches than any other minister in the State. And he was so generally beloved that he was always affectionately called "Father" Crawford.

Until a few years ago, when he became too feeble for active work, he was recognized as one of the foremost ministers of the city. At one time he served as pastor of the Pasadena Presbyterian Church, going later to Pomona, where he held a pastorate until retiring from active work, when he returned to Pasadena. After giving up the pastorate of the Pomona church he passed his last years in preaching and supplying churches when a minister was needed.

Dr. Crawford organized churches in Glendale, Azusa and Monrovia. Besides ministering to the spiritual needs of the people, he took an active part in the civic affairs of the city and was always greatly interested in politics. For many years he was a director of a Los Angeles national bank.

IN FAILING HEALTH.

Last Thanksgiving Day was the anniversary of his marriage, thirty-six years ago, to Miss Helen Maltby, who still lives. He was too ill to celebrate it, or even remember the date which in former years had meant so much to him.

Dr. Crawford was born May 20, 1823, in Lincoln county, Tennessee, where he lived with his parents until he was 21 years old. Working his way through college he was graduated when about 30 years old, from Illinois College, being immediately chosen as one of the instructors of the college. After receiving his theological education at Union Seminary, New York, he held the pastorate of three large churches in Illinois.

He came to Pasadena in the autumn of 1882, having been called to the pastorate of the Pasadena Presbyterian Church. Besides his wife he leaves two children, Mrs. A. D. S. McCoy, wife of Dr. McCoy; and Miss Louise Crawford. He also leaves a younger brother, Newton Crawford, of Morganville, Kansas.

The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence, No. 185 North Euclid avenue, and will be conducted by Dr. John Gilbert Blue. His friends and the members of the Bible class which he conducted for years are invited to attend.

GREEN ROSE BALL.

Merry feet will dance the old year out on New Year's eve at a beautiful "rose ball" to be given at Hotel Green. The dance which promises to eclipse any social function ever given at this hostelry, will follow an elaborately-planned dinner.

A rose ball, to precede the Tournament of Roses celebration, is the result of a happy idea conceived by David B. Plumer, general manager of the hotel, and the Green, dressed up in a world of roses, will present a scene like a fairyland.

The dinner will begin at 7 o'clock and the society buds will begin the "rosy" evening of dancing at 9:30 o'clock. At 11:30 o'clock they will go upon the roof garden, and with the stars and the heavens to canopy them, they will watch "the old year out—the new year in." There will be a watch-night supper and a number of feature dances, and nobody will go home until 2:30 o'clock in the morning.

LEASE SUNNYCREST.

Count and Countess Carlos de Heredia, who, because of the European war, have found in Pasadena a charming refuge, and who, since their arrival here, have been occupying one of the de luxe suites at Hotel Green, have rented "Sunnycrest," the beautiful South Orange Grove-avenue home of Mrs. Robert J. Burdette, widow of the famous humorist, who died recently.

When the Count and his charming wife take charge of Sunnycrest, Mrs. Burdette will go to her summer home at Clifton-by-the-Sea, where she will remain for several weeks until she has recovered from the effects of her long and sad vigil preceding the death of her husband.

The Count and Countess, who came here from Lenox, Mass., in their private car, will take to Sunnycrest a large retinue of servants, including two chauffeurs. Mrs. MacDougall, sister of the Countess, will retain her suite at the Green. Both ladies are daughters of the late H. H. Cook, a wealthy New York banker. Mrs. MacDougall is the widow of the late Brig.-Gen. Clinton Dougald MacDougall, who died several months ago.

MEXICANS IN NEED.

The suffering Mexicans who live in Lamanda Park and who yesterday made an appeal to the City Commissioners to see that they were given employment, can not receive assistance from the $10,000 charity fund because Lamanda Park is not in the city limits.

Through E. Estrada thirty-three Mexicans living here made an appeal for help. They say unless they are given work they cannot support their wives and children. The women and children of the colony are already suffering, and need food and clothing badly. The Commissioners are endeavoring to work out some plan whereby they can get relief. The Mexicans may be given work in the parks.

TWO TROPHY CUPS.

The Tournament of Roses directors have just received word of two magnificent trophies which will be given the first prize winners in the parade on January 1. They are to be given by the Palace Hotel and the St. Francis Hotel of San Francisco.

The prizes for the parade entries and for those competing at the park in the afternoon are to be handsomer and more numerous than has ever been offered for the tournament.

Special sale of woolen dress goods and novelty dress trimmings at one-fourth off regular price this week at Hertel's.—[Advertisement.

Grace Nicholson,'s famous salesrooms, 46 North Los Robles, is the best place to purchase gifts.—[Advertisement.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena.—[Advertisement.

ATTEMPT TO WRECK LARK.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

CARPINTERIA, Dec. 7.—That an attempt was made here last night to wreck the northbound Lark was discovered this morning when it was found that the lock on the derailing switch and also on the main track had been battered open. Neither of the switches were turned and it is supposed the would-be wreckers were frightened away before they had completed their work.

Special officers of the Southern Pacific have been working on the case today, but have secured no clews, although it is supposed the work was done by tramps who were put off the early evening trains.

C. W. Baker,

Azusa's grammar school principal, accused of flogging a pupil unmercifully, but who denies the allegation.

TEACHER ADMITS GIVING FLOGGING.

DECLARES BAD BOY REQUIRED SEVERE PUNISHMENT—DENIES INJURING.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

AZUSA, Dec. 7.—"Any statement to the effect that I administered an inhuman flogging upon Albert Knelling, bruised him, or dislocated any bones, is absolutely untrue," said Principal C. W. Baker of the grammar school today. "The incident occurred almost two weeks ago, and the boy has been in continuous attendance at school ever since, except for one day, when it is reported that he was working. The boy is a member of an unruly gang whose annoyances became so great that corporal punishment, to which I am strongly opposed, except as a last resort, was the only recourse left.

"I whipped the boy severely; I did so purposely, but the punishment was not too great, nor inhuman. The fact is, he returned to his classroom and completed his studies for the day. I regarded the incident as closed until late last week rumors of arrest reached me. I court the fullest investigation, as all stories of terrific beatings and dislocated bones are without foundation."

The Knelling boy's mother has a large family of children. Mrs. Knelling is determined to press the case against the teacher, saying that the boy is sickly and suffering from kidney trouble, which was aggravated by the whipping inflicted by Baker.

The general sentiment of the community seems with Mr. Baker. John H. Akard, president of the school board, in speaking of the episode, said: "Mr. Baker's work in the years he has been here speaks for itself. He is beloved by the teachers and children alike and has the respect of the people. There can be no doubt but that the final outcome of the affair will redound to the credit of the teacher."

Cornelius Smith, a prominent merchant of the city, said that he believed the Chamber of Commerce and other civic bodies would pass resolutions indorsing and upholding Mr. Baker. "If any criticism can be made concerning the principal's work, said Mr. Smith, "it would be that he was too little inclined to use the strap. The whole town regrets the undue publicity given the episode."

FALLS VICTIM TO MISTLETOE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 7.—Climbing to the top of a tree near Devore, in Cajon Pass, to secure a spray of mistletoe for his fiancee, Miss Margaret Weihle, Alex Gover lost his footing as he tossed the branch to the girl and fell to the ground, striking his head on a rock. He was brought to this city in an unconscious condition, but will recover.

San Bernardino.

KILLS WOMAN AND HIMSELF.

Unrequited Love Cause of Desperate Deed.

Fight for Potash Deposits Nears Battle Heat.

Angelenos File Damage Suit Against Santa Fe.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 7.—Because she did not reciprocate his love, Merle Paine, member of one of the oldest and most widely-known families of San Bernardino, early this afternoon shot and instantly killed Mrs. Alta Hill, aged about 30 years, and then turned the 30-30 rifle into his mouth and blew out his brains. The woman had been his housekeeper for some time, it is said, and looked coldly upon his attentions.

Today she told him she was to leave to accept another position, and after Paine had told her good-by, he leveled his rifle and shot the woman through the heart. He placed the end of the rifle in his mouth and pulled the trigger a few minutes later, and the officers responding to the call found both bodies in the road in front of the Paul Held residence on South Arrowhead avenue. There were no witnesses to the double tragedy.

Paine was about 28 years of age and a son of Merle Paine, Sr., a pioneer of this section. Mrs. Hill was the daughter of Mrs. L. W. Grant, whose husband is prominent in the socialist ranks in the city, having been a candidate for numerous offices on that party's ticket here. The inquest will be held over the two bodies probably tomorrow.

A letter found by the officers in Paine's clothes after he had fired the shots which completed the double killing indicated that he had planned the tragedy, at least the ending of his own life. This missive had been penned by Paine, possibly this morning, to his mother, Mrs. Merle Paine. It said that he was going to end it all because his love for Mrs. Hill had been unrequitted.

Another letter, partially written to Mrs. Hill, was found, indicating that they had quarreled about her leaving. The words were abrupt, saying: "If you want your goods you must come and get them."

It was while the two were unloading Mrs. Hill's goods from a wagon that the tragedy occurred. Paine pulled the rifle out from under the load, and without a warning shot the woman down, a second later following her into eternity.

IMPENDING BATTLE.

Although the force of a score of men representing H. E. Lee, rival claimant of the American Trona Company for the valuable potash deposits around Searles Lake in the northwestern corner of San Bernardino county, has been augmented by the arrival of thirty more armed men from San Francisco, hostilities between the two interests have not broken out as yet, according to word from the "battlefield" tonight.

Lee and his men, who seek to get on the claims for assessment purposes before the close of the year, have prepared for resistance, it is declared, and have several high-powered machines in their possession to facilitate their movements over the desert. Lee has been on the ground for a week with a force of men. The Trona company, it is said, is prepared to protect the property against any attempt of Lee and his men to jump it.

ASKS BIG DAMAGES.

In a damage suit filed here today Mrs. Olive H. Cram and her daughter, Miss Olive Cram, of Los Angeles, demand of the Santa Fe Railroad $100,000 as reparation for the death of Benjamin M. Cram, wealthy oil operator, who was killed in the wreck of the California limited train of the Santa Fe at Bagdad on the evening of June 12 last.

It is alleged that the railroad was negligent in placing a wooden dining car, in which the man was riding, between two heavier steel cars, the diner being smashed when the limited ran into an open switch and crashed into a standing freight.

"LOSES" HER HUSBAND.

J. H. Flinn of Mentone today was granted a divorce from Lucille Flinn, a grand opera singer, known under the name of Lucille Crawford, on the grounds of desertion.

Flinn alleged that soon after their marriage in New York his wife left to continue her career on the stage and he lost track of her almost completely. He told the court that but one of his many letters had been answered, saying that his wife asked him to cease writing because of the fact that if it became known that she was married it might ruin her career. He believes that she is now in Europe.

TO TIDE HER OVER.

Mrs. Helen Phelen Davis, defendant in the divorce suit brought by Rev. Benjamin F. Davis, former rector of Trinity Episcopal Church at Santa Barbara, was today granted $100 per month alimony and $1000 for attorney's fees pending the trial of the suit in the Superior Courts here. Her demurrer to the complaint of her husband was overruled and the case will come to trial within a few weeks.

Davis charges extreme mental cruelty as the grounds for the suit, alleged accusations of his wife that he flirted with other women being the basis for the charges.

ARMY CAPTURED.

The second detachment of the army of the unemployed which is marching on Southern California from the East was captured today a few miles north of San Bernardino, aboard a Salt Lake freight train which they seized on the desert. There were seventy-five hoboes in the crowd and a score of them were arrested and brought to the County Jail here.

In the first army of hoboes captured a few weeks ago there were 103 men, and eighty-three of them were taken by one officer. These are now serving in the county road camps.

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SANTA ANA, were taken tonight tees in an effort to City Clerk J. C. resigned, and as Assemblyman. closed it stood: C. S. Shaw, 2; Alvi I. Pond and appointed policemen.

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ARRIVED—MONDAY, Dec.

Steamer Roanoke, Capt. Peter
Steamer Cambria, Capt. Olsen
Steamer Grace, Capt. Jones
Steamer Chehalis, Capt. Hans

SAILED—MONDAY, Dec.

Steamer Roanoke, Capt. Peter
Steamer Grace, Capt. Jones
Steamer San Pedro, Capt. R

Steamer Yosemite, Capt. Jen
Steamer General Wolfe, Capt.

Steamer Wilhelm, Capt. Nissen

PASSENGERS BOOKED.

Steamers sail at San Pedro
further north.

TO ARRIVE.

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Dec. 14	San Diego	

LOCAL SHIPPING.

Steamer for Catalina Harbor, returning at 6 p.m., leaves foot of Fifth street, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily except Sun. San Pedro ferry leaves foot of Canal street, Wilmington, 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. daily. Terminal Island ferry leaves foot of Fifth street, San Pedro, 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. daily.

Schooner Bella, wood
Schooner Lucy, wood
Schooner Lyman, wood
Steamer Newsboy, coal
U.S.S. Chewaucan, fuel oil

OUTER HARBOR.

Steamer Frank Jones, Capt. Hansen, arrived at San Pedro at 6 a.m. from San Francisco.
Steamer Harvard, Capt. Johnson, arrived at San Pedro at 6 a.m. from San Francisco.
Steamer William H. Smith, Capt. Nelson, arrived at San Pedro at 6 a.m. from San Francisco.
Steamer Willamette, Capt. Nelson, arrived at San Pedro at 6 a.m. from San Francisco.
Steamer Redondo, Capt. Doran, arrived at San Pedro at 6 a.m. from San Francisco.
Steamer Coos Bay, Capt. Olsen, arrived at San Pedro at 6 a.m. from San Francisco.
Steamer Yellowstone, Capt. Johnson, arrived at San Pedro at 6 a.m. from San Francisco.
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Steamer Coos Bay, Capt. Olsen, arrived at San Pedro at 6 a.m. from San Francisco.
Steamer Yellowstone, Capt. Johnson, arrived at San Pedro at 6 a.m. from San Francisco.

TO AND FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

British steamer Queen of Nanaimo, Capt. [illegible], arrived at San Pedro at 6 a.m. from Nanaimo.
Steamer Peter I. Cornelius, Capt. [illegible], arrived at San Pedro at 6 a.m. from Nanaimo.
Nov. 18, Steamer J. L. Luckenbach, Capt. [illegible], arrived at San Pedro at 6 a.m. from Nanaimo.
Nov. 19, Steamer Mineola, Capt. [illegible], arrived at San Pedro at 6 a.m. from Nanaimo.
Nov. 19, Steamer Wilmington, Capt. [illegible], arrived at San Pedro at 6 a.m. from Nanaimo.
Nov. 19, Steamer Pleiades, Capt. [illegible], arrived at San Pedro at 6 a.m. from Nanaimo.
Nov. 19, Steamer Santa Cruz, Capt. [illegible], arrived at San Pedro at 6 a.m. from Nanaimo.
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Nov. 19, Steamer Northland

Business: Money, Stocks, Bonds—Trade—Local Produce Market—Citrus Market

Grain.

WHEAT LOSES HALF A CENT.

EXPECTED WEAKNESS DEVELOPS LATE IN SESSION.

Shorts Seem to Have All They Want Right Now and Speculators Are to Profit Taking—Corn, Oats Follow Provisions, Though Narrow in Range, Close Lower.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Wheat turned in the last fifteen minutes today and a moderate advance which had followed was more than wiped out. Because of the fact that the market was bare of speculative orders it was responsible for the setback. It finished weak at a shade to ⅛ under Saturday night. Corn lost ¼ to ⅜, and oats ¼@⅝ to ⅝. In provisions the outcome was unchanged to a shade. Buyers of wheat appeared to be fully satisfied their wants, and at the end of the day were for the time being intent on realizing a profit rather than making any additional investment. On the other hand, support from shorts was lacking, as they had generally been forced to cover just previous to the day in an unexpected substantial setback in the domestic visible supply. Heavy receipts proved too much of a depressing influence on the price of corn, despite reports that today's arrivals were the crest of the movement to come. An increase in the visible supply added to the worries of the bulls. Oats merely reflected the course of corn and wheat. Trade was in fair volume, but price changes narrow. Provisions averaged lower on account of the generous supplies of hogs. Packers got most willingly of pork.

CLOSING FIGURES.

Following is range of quotations:

Option—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close— Bid.	Ask.
January	1.21	1.21	1.20	1.21	1.21½
March	1.20	1.21	1.20	1.20	1.20½
May	1.20	1.21	1.18	1.19	1.19½
July	1.03	1.04	1.02	1.03	1.03½
Cash grain—No. 2 yellow corn, 72@72½; No. 3 yellow, 71½@72; No. 4 yellow, 70½@71½; No. 2 white, 72½@73; No. 3 white, 72@72½; No. 4 white, 71@71½; barley, 1.00@1.30; timothy, 3.00@5.50; clover, 11.00@14.00.					

New York General Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Wheat, spot quiet, State, common to choice, 2@2½; 1913, nominal; Patent, 1914, 10@14; 1913, 8@10. Corn, Export, 29@30; Central Western, 30@31. Wool firm; domestic fleece, 30@31.

Chilboard Sales.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—Wheat, no trading: cash, 2.00@2.05. Barley, December, 1.25½ bid, May, 1.34⅝; cash, feed, 1.20@1.25; cash and brewing, 1.23⅝@1.27½. Afternoon session: Wheat, no trading. Barley steady, December, 1.29¾ asked; May, 1.34⅝ bid.

Liverpool Wheat Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LIVERPOOL (Or.) Dec. 7.—Wheat, spot prices: Bluestem, 1.19; No. 1 club, 1.17; Red Russian, No. 2 Fife, 1.12.

Local Bond Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

Quotations furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York Stock Exchange, Bradbury Bldg., Los Angeles.

LOCAL CARRIER BONDS.

Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Asked.
1-Los Angeles 4s	100	101
2-Los Angeles 4s	100	101
3-Los Angeles 4s	100	101
4-Los Angeles 4s	100	101
5-Los Angeles 4s	100	101
6-Los Angeles 4s	100	101
7-Los Angeles 4s	100	101
8-Los Angeles 4s	100	101
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100-Los Angeles 4s	100	101

Local Stock Exchange.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

Closing quotations furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	74.00	74.50
Brea Canon Oil	100	105
Caribou Oil	1.00	1.10
Central Eureka Oil	1.00	1.10
Consolidated Oil	1.00	1.10
Continental Oil	1.00	1.10
Crown Oil	1.00	1.10
Eastern Oil	1.00	1.10
Edison Oil	1.00	1.10
Empire Oil	1.00	1.10
Fidelity Oil	1.00	1.10
Home Oil	1.00	1.10
Independence Oil	1.00	1.10
Independent Oil	1.00	1.10
Kern Oil	1.00	1.10
Kern Trading Oil	1.00	1.10
Lion Oil	1.00	1.10
Los Angeles Oil	1.00	1.10
Maricopa Oil	1.00	1.10
Monarch Oil	1.00	1.10
Occidental Oil	1.00	1.10
Occidental of California	1.00	1.10
Occidental of West Virginia	1.00	1.10
Oil City Petroleum	1.00	1.10
Oil Development Co. of California	1.00	1.10
Oil Investment Co.	1.00	1.10
Oil Securities Co.	1.00	1.10
Pacific Coast Oil	1.00	1.10
Palmer Oil	1.00	1.10
Peerless Oil	1.00	1.10
Petroleum Center Oil	1.00	1.10
Petroleum Development Co.	1.00	1.10
Petroleum Securities Co.	1.00	1.10
Pittsburg Oil	1.00	1.10
Premier Oil	1.00	1.10
Reserve Oil & Gas	1.00	1.10
Richfield Oil	1.00	1.10
Rio Bravo Oil	1.00	1.10
Rio Grande Oil	1.00	1.10
Royal Dutch	1.00	1.10
Shamrock Oil & Gas	1.00	1.10
Shell Co. of California	1.00	1.10
Shell Oil	1.00	1.10
Signal Hill Oil	1.00	1.10
Simms Oil	1.00	1.10
Southern California Oil	1.00	1.10
Standard Oil of California	1.00	1.10
Standard Oil of Kansas	1.00	1.10
Standard Oil of Nebraska	1.00	1.10
Standard Oil of New York	1.00	1.10
Stanley Oil	1.00	1.10
Superior Oil	1.00	1.10
Superior Oil & Gas	1.00	1.10
Tidal Oil	1.00	1.10
Tidewater Oil	1.00	1.10
Tidewater Oil of West Virginia	1.00	1.10
Transcontinental Oil	1.00	1.10
Union Oil	1.00	1.10
Union Oil of California	1.00	1.10
Union Oil of Delaware	1.00	1.10
Union Oil of Kansas	1.00	1.10
Union Oil of Nebraska	1.00	1.10
Union Oil of New York	1.00	1.10
Union Oil of Oklahoma	1.00	1.10
Union Oil of Texas	1.00	1.10
Union Oil of West Virginia	1.00	1.10
Union Petroleum	1.00	1.10
United Oil	1.00	1.10
United Oil Co.	1.00	1.10
United Oil Producers	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Co.	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc.	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series A	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series B	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series C	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series D	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series E	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series F	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series G	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series H	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series I	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series J	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series K	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series L	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series M	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series N	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series O	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series P	1.00	1.10
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United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series S	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series T	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series U	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series V	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series W	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series X	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series Y	1.00	1.10
United Petroleum Producers of California, Inc., Preferred, Series Z	1.00	1.10

New York Oil Stocks.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Anglo-Amer.	14⅝	14⅞	Solar	270	280
Atlantic	600	605	S. Pipe	200	205
Borne S.	270	285	S. P. Oil	276	281
Buckeye	113	120	S. P. Pipe	118	122
Chrough	600	650	S. Oil Cal.	316	319
Colonial	95	105	S. Oil Ind.	470	475
Continental	222	231	S. Oil Kan.	870	880
Crescent	40	42	S. Oil N.Y.	290	295
Cum'land	52	56	S. Oil Neb.	340	360
Eureka	225	235	S. Oil N. Y.	293	296
Galena	170	173	S. Oil Ohio	435	445
Do. pfd.	128	142	Swan & F.	165	175
Ind. Pipe	100	111	Union T.	85	90
Nat. Tran.	27	40	Vacuum	203	210
N. Y. Tran.	220	230	Wash'ton	35	40
N. Pipe	98	101	Waters P.	13¾	14¼
Ohio Oil	187	189	S. Oil N. J.	468	470
Prairie	460	462			

Chicago Grain Market.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 7. — Following are the opening, highest, lowest and closing quotations:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	1.22⅞	1.22⅞	1.21⅛	1.21⅞
December	1.17⅛	1.17⅝	1.16½	*1.16⅝
Corn—				
May	.69⅝	.69⅛	.68⅝	**.68⅝
December	.64	.64	.62⅝	.62⅛
Oats—				
May	.52⅛	.51⅛	.50⅞	.51⅜
December	.48⅝	.48⅝	.47⅛	*.47⅛
Pork—				
May	18.50	18.50	18.42	18.42
January	18.05	18.10	18.05	**18.07
Lard—				
May	9.97	10.00	9.95	9.95
January	9.70	9.72	9.70	9.70
Ribs—				
May	10.07	10.07	10.02	**10.02
January	9.67	9.70	9.67	9.67

*Bid. **Asked.

New York Cotton Market.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Except at the opening this morning trading in cotton was very dull, with little interest on either side. Fluctuations were very narrow, and whatever investment buying there was found plenty offers around 7.60 for May delivery. The government estimate of the cotton crop will be issued December 10, and ginning returns will be published December 8. In normal times these two important reports are given much consideration, but just now they engage little attention, as nearly everybody agrees that the crop this year, even without the war, would have been more than needed, and a few hundred thousand bales, more or less, does not matter.

New York Dairy Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Butter steady, receipts 5310 tubs; creamery extras (92 score,) 33@33½; creamery (higher scoring,) 34; firsts, 29@32; seconds, 26@28; process extras, 25½@26½; ladles, current make, firsts, 22½@23; seconds, 21½@22; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 20½@21. Cheese steady, receipts 1221 boxes; State whole milk held special, white, 16@16½; colored, 16; held average, fancy, 15½@15⅝; fresh specials, white, 15½@15⅝; colored, 15⅝; fresh average, fancy, 14⅞@15; skims, 3½@13½. Eggs, irregular, receipts 5841 cases; fresh gathered extra fine, 41@43; extra firsts, 39@40; firsts, 36@38; seconds, 29@35; State, Pennsylvania and near-by hennery whites, 58@62; gathered whites, 38@57; hennery browns, 43@46; gathered browns and mixed colors, 35@43.

Chicago Dairy Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Butter steady; creamery, 24@32. Eggs, receipts, 3059 cases, at mark, cases included, 20@29; ordinary firsts, 26@27; firsts, 28@29.

San Francisco Dairy Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—Butter, fancy creamery, 31; seconds, 27. Eggs, fancy ranch, 40; pullets, 33; storage, 27½. Cheese, new, 10@13½; Young Americas, 14½@15.

New York Money Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Closing: Mercantile paper, 4½@5; sterling exchange, steady; sixty day bills, 4.85; for cables, 4.88; for demand, 4.87½; bar silver, 50¼; call money easy, high, 2½; low, 3; ruling rate and last loan, 2½; closing bid, 2½; last offered, 3.

Drafts and Silver.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—Silver bars, 50¼; Mexican dollars, nominal; drafts, sight, par; drafts, telegraph, 2.

London Bar Silver.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 7.—Bar silver, 23¼d per ounce.

New York Metal Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Tin dull, 32.75@33.25. Copper, firm, electrolytic, 12.87@13.00; casting, 12.67@12.87. Lead, quiet, 3.70@3.80. Spelter, 5.55@5.65.

New York Sugar Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Raw sugar steady; molasses sugar, 3.24; centrifugal, 3.89; refined steady, cut loaf, 6.00; crushed, 5.80; mold A, 5.55; cubes, 5.35; XXXX powdered, 5.25; powdered, 5.20; fine granulated, 5.10; Diamond A, 5.10; confectioners' A, 5.00; No. 1, 4.85.

Chicago Live Stock Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Hogs, Receipts 40,000; best light, 10 higher; others weak to 10 lower; bulk, 6.60@7.30; light, 6.55@7.45; mixed, 6.55@7.30; heavy, 6.50@7.20; rough, 6.50@6.65; pigs, 4.50@7.00. Cattle, receipts 18,000; unsettled, best, steady to 10 higher; others weak; native steers, 5.65@10.60; western, 5.25@8.40; cows and heifers, 3.25@8.50; calves, 6.50@9.25. Sheep, receipts 48,000; weak; sheep, 4.90@6.00; yearlings, 6.20@7.10; lambs, 6.00@8.10.

San Francisco Sales.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 7.—Stock and Bond Exchange: City Electric, 5000 at 80.00; L. A. Pacific, first con. mtg. 5s, 2000 (cash) at 90.50; Oakland Gas Light and H. 5s, 6000 at 99.00; Great Western Power, 5s, 7000 at 77.50; Pacific Gas and Electric Com., bid, 42.00, no sales.

San Francisco Market.

FRUIT, GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—Flour, family extras, 6.00@6.50; bakers, extras, 5.50@5.80.

Wheat—Shipping, 2.00@2.05.

Barley—Feed, 1.15@1.20; shipping and brewing, 1.23⅝@1.27½.

Oats—Red feed, 1.30@1.40; seed, 1.85@1.60; recleaned higher; white, 1.45@1.60; black, 1.35@2.25.

Hay—Wheat, 12.00@13.00; wheat and oat, 9.00@11.00; tame oat, 10.50@12.00; wild oat, 6.00@8.00; barleyy, 5.00@7.50; alfalfa, 6.00@8.00; straw, 30@45.

Bran, 26.50@27.50; shorts, 27.00@28.00; rolled barley, 25.50@26.50.

Receipts—Flour, 3040 quarters; barley, 18,445 centals; beans, 5010 sacks; potatoes, 4185 sacks; hay, 238 tons; hides, 1118 in number; wine, 58,400 gallons.

Fruit—Lemons, fancy, 2.00@2.50; choice, 2.00@2.50; standards, 1.75@2.00; California limes, 1.50; bananas, Hawaiian, 1.25@2.00; pineapples, Hawaiian, 4@5 per pound; apples, Bellefleur (cold storage,) 65@75; Newtown Pippins, 50@75; Spitzenbergs, 50@75.

Beans—Large white, 4.50@4.60; small white, southern, 4.50@4.60; limas, 5.40@5.50; pink, 3.50@3.65; California bayous, 5.20@5.30.

Potatoes — Salinas Burbanks, 1.25@1.60; Oregons, 1.25@1.65; delta Burbanks, 90@1.10; sweets, 1.20@1.60.

Onions—Yellow, 1.00@1.25.

Vegetables—Tomatoes, bay stock, 50@75; Los Angeles, 75@1.00; string and wax beans, 2@6; limas, 5@9; eggplant, 8½@9; Los Angeles lettuce, 50@75.

Poultry — Hens, 13@15; roosters, young, 10@11; fryers, 16@20; broilers, 18@19; ducks, 14@17; squabs, 2.50@3.00; geese, 2.00@3.00.

Millstuffs — Middlings, 30.50@31.50;

Local Grain Market.

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Utah white milling wheat		$ 2.02½
Utah Aurkey milling (bulk)		2.05
Utah white feed		1.95
Utah red feed wheat		2.00
Northern Turkey		1.90
No. 1 club		1.95
Sonora		1.95
P.A.Q. Oats		1.90
Local bright barley	1.17 @	1.25
Local dark barley	1.15 @	1.20
Utah bright barley		1.27½
Utah dark barley		1.25
Utah white oats		1.65
Portland standard oats		1.65
Texas oats	2.05 @	2.07½
Eastern corn	1.54 @	1.56
Argentine corn		1.60
Egyptian corn	1.45 @	1.52½
Milo maize		1.42½
Utah white bran	28.00 @	28.50
Utah mixed bran		27.50
Local white bran		29.00
Local red bran		27.50
Northern bran		26.00
White oats, chopped		19.50

Local Stock Exchange.

[As posted at the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, I. W. Hellman building.]

OIL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	$ 71.50	$ 74.00
Associated Oil	65.00	65.75
Brookshire Oil	.10	.11
Cal. Midway Oil Co.	....	.60
Central	.74	....
Columbia	.70	.80
Enos Oil Co.	.01	....
Globe	....	.65
Hancock Oil Co.	.25¾	....
Mexican Pet., Ltd., pfd.	65.00	....
Mexican Pet., Ltd., com.	45.00	....
Midway Northern	.14½	.16
National Pacific Oil Co.	.04	....
Olinda Land Co. (Old)	.27¼	....
Rice Ranch Oil Co.	1.00	1.15
Trader's Oil Co.	15.12½	21.00
Union	47.00	47.87½
Union Provident Co.	44.00	....
United Petroleum	45.00	....
United Oil Co.	.35	.35
West Coast Oil, pfd.	90.00	....
Western Union	82.50	85.00
White Star Oil Co.	....	.11

SALES.

Morning session: Los Angeles Investment, 10 at .40½, 35 at .41, 45 at .42, 500 at 40½, 65 at .42; United, 500 at .34; Home Telephone pfd., 30 at 25.00; Pacific Light and Power, 4 $1000 5s at .85; Consolidated Mines, 6000 at .02; Home Telephone pfr., (off board,) 50 at 25.00.

Afternoon session: Union, 20 at 47.00, 10, seller 30, at 47.00; Los Angeles Investment, 100 at .43, 50 at .44, 200 at .43; Pasadena Home Tel. & Tel., 1 $1000 5s at .79.

BANK STOCK LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Citizens' National	$220.00	....
Farmers' & Merchants' Nat.	320.00	....
First National	350.00	....
Security Trust & Sav.	335.00	....
Merchants' National	200.00	....
National Bank of Cal.	217.00	220.00
Security Trust & Sav. Bank	325.00	....
U. S. National Bank	155.00	....

INDUSTRIAL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Home Telephone pfd.	$ 22.00	$ 25.00
L. A. Investment Co.	.43	.44
Pac. Mut. Life Ins. Co.	525.00	....
Producers Transportation Co.	92.00	....
So. Cal. Edison pfd.	89.00	92.00
Title I. & Tr. Co.	151.00	....

BOND LIST.

(With Accrued Interest.)

	Bid.	Asked.
American Petroleum Co.	85	....
Associated Oil Co.	92¼	96½
California Pacific Ry.	97	....
Corina City Water Co.	96	....
Corona Power & W. Co.	96	100
Cucamonga Water Co.	....	101
Edison Elec. Co., 1st ref.	96	....
Edison Elec. Co., old issue	94	....
Home Telephone Co.	79½	82
Home Tel. Co., 1st Refg.	70½	75
Hustaces Joint Bonds	97	....
Hustaces Pipe Line	60	....
L. A. Electric Co.	94	....
L. A. Gas & Elec. Co.	....	97½
L. A. Pac., 1st Con. Mtge.	96	....
L. A. Pac., Ry., 1st Refg.	90	....
L. A. Public Market Co.	102	....
L. A. Railway Co.	99	....
L. A. Traction Co., 6s	99½	....
L. A. Traction Co., 6s	....	101
Mission Tract. & L. Co.	85	....
Pac. Elec. Ry. Co.	97½	100
Pac. Light & Power Co.	94	....
Pac. L. & P. Co.	96	96½
Pasadena Home T. & T. Co.	79	80½
Prod. Transportation Co.	....	....
Redondo Water Co.	99½	100
Union Oil Co.	79	80
Union Transportation Co.	84	....

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LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Prices Current.

Following are jobbing quotations unless otherwise specified:

EGGS—Fresh ranch, case count, 39; candled, 43; Petaluma-Santa Rosa, extras, 41; northern, case count, 40.

BUTTER—Creamery extras, 30, per lb.; firsts, 28; country, 23; ladies, 22. The jobbing price is from 3 to 4 cents higher than above quotations.

CHEESE—California fresn, 14½@15; eastern daisies, 18@18½; eastern twins, 17@17½; longhorns, 18@18½; Oregon triplets, 17@17½; imported Swiss, 38@40; domestic Swiss, block, 20@21; Limburger, 20@22; Edam, 85.00@$6.50; Sierra, 1.10@1.20; Canada cream, 95@1.00; Roquefort, 38@40; German breakfast, 90; cream brick, 19@20.

CITRUS FRUITS—Navels, 2.25@2.35; lemons, packed, 2.65@2.75; loose, 2.00@2.25; juice, 1.25@1.50; grapefruit, seedless, 2.50@2.75; tangerines, 1.75@1.90 per box; limes, 75@1.00 basket.

FRESH FRUIT—Apples, Bellefleurs, 90@1.00; Jonathans, Oregon, 1.35@1.50; Washington, 1.50@1.65; Utah, 1.35@1.50; Spitzenbergs, 1.35@1.50; Roman Beauties, 1.35@1.50; Pearmains, 85@1.00; bananas, 3½@4; pineapples, 6@6½; casabas, 1.40@1.65 per dozen; figs, 1.85@2.10 per two-layer box; grapes, per lug box: Tokays, 1.35@1.50; Red Emperors, 1.40@1.60; Cornichons, 1.25@1.30; Malagas, 1.25@1.35 per crate; Winter Nellis, 1.50 per lug, 2.50 per packed box; quinces, 75@85 per lug; persimmons, 4@8 per lb.; pomegranates, 1.60@1.80 per box.

BERRIES — Strawberries, 8@12 per ket; cranberries, Late Howe, 9.00@9.25; guavas, 3@4 per basket.

GREEN VEGETABLES—These quotations are for first-class shipping stock: Beets, 30@35 doz.; carrots, 30@35 doz.; oyster plant, 30@35 doz.; turnips, 30@35 doz.; leeks, 35@40 doz.; parsnips, 25@30 doz.; peas, 7@10 lb.; spinach, 20 doz.; cabbage, 65@75; lettuce, 1.00@1.20 crate; escarole, 40 doz.; green onions, 15@20 doz.; mint, 35@40 doz.; artichokes, 75@1.00 doz.; peppers, 3@5; chile peppers, 4@5 per lb.; rhubarb, 80@85 per box; cucumbers, hothouse, 75@1.50; horseradish, 15@16; summer squash, 60@75 per lug; crookneck squash, 35@45; Hubbard squash, 1½@1¾ lb.; tomatoes, 75@85 lug; celery, northern, 2.00@2.25 a crate; local, 1.65@1.75 crate; string beans, 6@9; lima beans, 5@6; eggplant, 4@6; cauliflower, 50@60 per doz.; okra, 9@10; pumpkins, 1¼@2 lb.

POTATOES — Northern Burbanks, 1.25@1.30 per cwt.; Shimas, 1.35@1.45; Salinas, 1.90@2.00; Lompocs, 1.90@2.00; Idaho spuds, 1.25@1.35; sweets, 65@75 lug; 1.40@1.60 cwt.

BEANS—Pink, No. 1, 4.15@4.25; Lady Washington, 5.15@5.25; small whites, 5.00@5.10; Limas, No. 1, 5.60@5.75; Garvanzas, 6.00@7.50; black eyes, 4.90@5.25; lentils, 8.00@9.00.

RICE—Per 100 lbs.; head, 5.50@6.00; blue rose head, 5.25@5.50; Japanese, 4.50@4.75; California, 4.75@5.00; Siam, 5.00; broken, 3.50@3.75.

ONIONS AND CHILE—Strings, 15; loose, 14; chile telpins, 1.00 lb.; ground chile, 10@12; Japanese, 16; corn husks, 10; do. cut, 12; onions, White Globes, 2.75@3.00 per cwt.; Australian Browns, 1.50@1.75; Yellow Danvers, 1.50@1.75; garlic, 14@16.

HONEY — Comb, fancy water white, 14; white, 12; light amber, 11; extracted, light amber, 5½; white, 6; water white, 7; beeswax, 32 per lb.

DRIED FRUITS—(25-lb. boxes; faced 50c, ½c less.) Apples, evaporated, 50s, choice, 6¼@6½; ex. choice, 7; fancies, 7½; apricots, choice, 8½; extra choice, 9; fancy, 10. Currants, bulk, bbls., 10½; 60 16-oz. packages 11½; 50 12-oz. packages, 8½. Nectarines, 12½; pears, 8@12; plums, 10; peaches, choice, 8½; fancy, 6; prunes, 20-30s, 17; 30-40s, 11; 40-50s, 9½@9½;

The Public Service.

At the City Hall.

COUNCIL MUST DECIDE POLICY.

SHALL THIS CITY ENTER STREET RAILWAY BUSINESS?

President Wright of Public Utilities Board will Ask Legislators to Declare Municipality's Intent in Regard to Franchises Soon to Expire—Temple Line Comes First.

Within a little more than six months the franchise held by the Los Angeles Railway Corporation for the Temple-street line will expire. The date of such expiration is July 7, 1915.

Two more street railway franchises of this system will expire in 1916; two more in 1917 and two in 1918.

The Pacific Electric Company will have one expiring franchise in 1916, one in 1917 and one in 1918.

What shall be the city's attitude in regard to these expirations? Does the municipality want to undertake the street car business on its own account? If so, there is barely time to form such a policy and give the railway six months' notice.

President Wright of the Board of Public Utilities stated yesterday that he will call the attention of the City Council to the situation and suggest the advisability of it adopting a definite policy at once. It is probable he will send such a letter to the Council this week.

The entire transportation problem is in such a muddled condition at the present time—owing to the introduction of the "jitney" bus factor—that there is a feeling of much uncertainty on all sides. With nickel-chasing autos paralleling all car lines, the prospect of the city undertaking street car operation is exceedingly dubious. The demand for extensions of lines is also a factor that the city would have to consider very seriously before adopting a policy for municipal operation of street car lines. There must also be considered the cost of paying the companies for the rails and overhead construction, should the city decide to take over the existing tracks when the franchises expire. The expense would be another heavy tax upon the property owner.

It is possible that a plan of continuing the companies' service over expired franchise lines under lease permits may be the outcome of the situation. While San Francisco has been able to show an advantageous operation of the municipal lines, Seattle tells an entirely different story, and its municipal system is plunging the city more deeply in debt each day.

A list of the franchises that are to expire prior to the beginning of 1925 has been prepared by the Board of Public Utilities, showing that there will be eleven such expirations. The list includes the following:

Temple street from Spring to Hoover, 2.94 miles, July 7, 1915; Maple avenue from Seventh to Thirty-second, 1.95 miles, January 28, 1916; Pico street from Flower to Hoover, one mile, January 28, 1916; Ninth street, from Lake to Grand View, 0.7 mile, November 27, 1916; Macy street, from Mission to Brooklyn, 0.17 mile, April 14, 1917; Fifth street from Maple to San Pedro, 0.17 mile, August 27, 1917; Mateo street from Palmetto to Eighth, 0.73 mile, September 29, 1918; Santa Fe avenue from Ninth to south charter boundary, 0.72 mile, September 29, 1918.

All of these are under the system of the Los Angeles Railway Corporation and the total is 7.75 miles.

According to Supreme Court decision, 152 Cal. 242, the Los Angeles Railway has no franchise on San Pedro street from Thirtieth to South Park and on South Park from San Pedro street to Slauson avenue.

The expiring franchises of the Pacific Electric Railway are Sunset boulevard from Echo Park to Maltman, 1.59 miles, December 1, 1916; Echo Park avenue from Sunset to 600 feet north of Sunset, 0.11 mile, April 15, 1917; Pasadena Short Line, crossing Macy, Echandia and Lord streets, December 13, 1918, making a total of 1.70 miles.

BLUFF IS CALLED. GET BUSY OR QUIT.

Time was when the City Council stood in fear and trembled when the Municipal League spoke. Not so today.

After the Socialist coteries had exhausted their resources in devices to keep for Charles K. Mohler, the $300-a-month sinecure, as chief railroad engineer of the railroad department for the Board of Public Utilities, the decadent Municipal League rushed into the breach. It proposed that it would make an investigation of the board and its work, etc., and asked that Mr. Mohler be kept on the job until this report was made.

To this the Council assented and the board agreed to hold the engineer on the job "for a reasonable time." Then the enthusiasm of the league for the proposed investigation lapsed. A few days ago it sent to the Council a request that it be allowed to defer its investigation until after the forthcoming election on charter amendments, and that meantime no steps be taken that would change conditions in the commission's office—that is, that Mr. Mohler be continued on the $300-a-month job until well into the new year.

This request was read before the Council yesterday. It refused to grant the request for a delay.

Councilman Snowden was the spokesman. He declared that if the league proposes to make an investigation at all, there is no reason for delay, and that it should go ahead with the work that it volunteered to do, or else drop the subject. The other members of the Council sustained this attitude. The league must at once proceed with its investigation, or it's all off, so far as the Council is concerned.

STREET SPEAKERS MUST MOVE EASTWARD.

Street speakers who hape found the bright lights of the Hamburger store windows on Eighth street a magnet that aids them in drawing a crowd each night, have created a condition there that is intolerable. Complaint has been made that the congestion is so great that automobiles have to avoid trying to pass through the street, and the sidewalks are blockaded. Merchants and the two business colleges adjacent have made strong complaint against the nuisance, and have asked that this district be included in the territory within which street speaking is prohibited.

The Public Welfare Committee of the City Council gave the subject a hearing yesterday, and decided that as a means of temporary relief during the holiday period the speakers will be urged to move their stands easterly, so as to be located east of Broadway on Eighth street. It is probable that the committee will recommend a change of the ordinance governing street speaking so as to close Eighth street from Olive to the easterly line of Broadway, but this could not be put into effect in time to provide for the holiday period.

M. Hamburger and F. J. Zeehandelaar, secretary of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, appeared before the committee on behalf of the protestants, and there were representatives of the I.W.W. and the Socialists present to urge that the street be kept open for public speaking.

ELEVATOR INSPECTOR. QUARTERLY EXAMINATIONS.

The petition of the National Association of Stationary Engineers, asking the City Council to create the position of elevator inspector, and separating this from the position of boiler inspector, as it now exists, was before the Public Welfare Committee of the Council yesterday. It is also proposed to require at least quarterly examinations of all elevators.

The general plan has the approval of the committee, but details are to be discussed with inspector Carter and representatives of the engineers' association during the ensuing week.

WAIT SIX MONTHS. BEAUDRY-AVENUE PAVING.

Property owners on Beaudry avenue petitioned the City Council to abandon proceedings for the improvement of the street, from Fifth to Sixth street, but the Council has decided that it will not abandon this action, but instructs the Board of Public Works to hold up the award of the contract until May 6, 1915.

The proposed improvement includes the paving and construction of a storm drain. The lowest bidder for this work is the Fairchild-Gillmore-Wilton Company, whose bid is $10,411.56. The City Engineer estimates that seventy days will be required to do this work.

Municipal Minor Grist.

An ordinance that will extend the district within which lunch wagons on the streets cannot be maintained, so as to take in the territory between Sixth, Eighth, Hill and Figueroa streets, is recommended for adoption by the Council by the Public Welfare Committee.

More applicants for the examination for patrolmen are desired by the Civil Service Commission. Secretary Dee stated yesterday that it is the desire of the commission to establish a good-sized list of eligibles. The next examination will take place on January 9.

The Civil Service Commission this forenoon will consider the application of John Roney for reinstatement as boiler inspector, from which position he was removed by Chief Inspector Carter after the Tajo building elevator disaster.

The Mercereau Bridge and Construction Company has completed the underpinning of the west shore piers of the First-street viaduct across the Los Angeles River. The work was accepted by the Board of Public Works yesterday.

The Board of Public Works yesterday ordered the placing of a one-inch water pipe on the First-street viaduct, with four hydrants, for the purpose of keeping the bridge surface sprinkled during excessive dry weather, thus lessening the fire hazard. The installation will be paid for out of the bridge repair fund.

Thirty days' extension of time has been allowed by the Board of Public Works to the Los Angeles Railway Corporation within which to complete the work of reconstructing and paving its tracks on Twelfth street, between Main street and Central avenue and on Euclid avenue, between Fourth street and Stephenson avenue. Sixty days' extension was given to the Pacific Electric Company to complete its work on Highland avenue, between Fountain avenue and Sunset boulevard, with the understanding that every effort must be made by the company to complete the work within this time limit.

The time for protests against the assessments for the acquirement of the branch library site at First and Chicago streets will expire on December 15. So far no protests have been filed.

The Board of Public Works has had its street department corps work for about a week in cleaning the brush and heavy growth out of Bimini Slough, starting at Sixth street and Vermont avenue and working north. The Pacific Electric Company has also had a force of men on this work.

The Hermon Civic Improvement Association asks the city to provide for the placing of fire hydrants on Walnut Hill, Redfield and Avenue Fifty-nine while the streets are open for the placing of new water mains.

The Bostick Trained Wild Animal Show has had to leave London because of war conditions, and has come to Los Angeles. It proposes to erect animal cages on the property that formerly was included in the old Chutes Park, and legislation has been adopted that would allow of such buildings being erected there. This does not go into effect, however, for thirty days, and the concern wants immediate action, as its animals are closely cooped up. An appeal was made to the Board of Public Works yesterday for temporary permission to proceed with the cages.

The Llewellyn Iron Company yesterday asked the Board of Public Works to grant it an extension of forty-five days within which to complete the steel work on the sheds at Municipal Dock No. 1.

A subcommittee of the General 1915 Committee applied to the Board of Public Works yesterday for permission to have window boxes installed on all buildings on Spring street and Broadway, from First to Ninth streets, and on Hill street, from Third to Ninth streets. These boxes will be of metal and will be securely fastened to the buildings. They are to be a part of the general scheme for beautifying the business center for the 1915 visitors, and will be used in connection with the plan for placing boxed palms midway between the ornamental light posts on these streets.

The Automatic Sprinkler System Company of America has completed the installation of a sprinkler system at the Water-street wharf transit shed. The work was accepted by the Board of Public Works yesterday.

PROMOTER ARRAIGNED.

Jacob Weaver, realty promoter, was arraigned before Justice Forbes yesterday on a charge of obtaining $2800 by false pretenses from James Mayer in a stock deal. Weaver was released on $4000 bail and his preliminary examination set for December 22. Weaver is also charged with forging the name of E. S. Russell to a $1500 note drawn on the First National Bank of Calexico. The warrants for his arrest were issued six days ago and Weaver returned from Idaho and surrendered himself to Constable Hayes.

TO REGULATE SALE OF GUNS.

Chief Sebastian yesterday sent a letter to the Police Commission advocating drastic civic legislation regulating the sale of firearms. The Chief proposed that an ordinance patterned after the Sullivan act of New York be passed.

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TIPS WILL PAY WIFE ALIMONY.

PORTER TELLS COLD TRUTH OF LIFE IN A HOTEL.

Guests' Benefactions More Than His Salary and He Must Support Spouse—Court Warns Him to Allow Her to Manicure and Tells Her to Find Herself a Job.

W. J. Kratt, a porter at the Westminster Hotel, admitted to Judge Monroe yesterday that his tips amount to $35 a month. His salary is $25 a month, with no expense for room or meals.

"You are the first man who ever came here who admitted that his tips amounted to more than his salary," commented the court. "You don't get tips on credit?" he queried.

"Sometimes guests say they will see me later."

"Do they ever come back and make good?"

"Once in a while," was the reply.

The result of this investigation was that Mr. Kratt, who looks like a live wire, was ordered to pay $20 a month for the support of his wife before January 5, next. Mrs. Kratt was advised to get something to do. She is asking for a divorce on the ground of cruelty, and testified that she left him a week ago.

"I was manicuring at a barber shop," she said, "but my husband made it so unpleasant that I quit."

"If your wife gets another job in a barber shop," the court cautioned Mr. Kratt, "let her alone."

"I won't trouble her," replied Mr. Kratt.

It developed during the alimony proceedings that Mrs. Kratt, an attractive young woman, had $1100 from her mother's estate when she married the porter. She said it all went.

PLEAS UNHEEDED. WED DESPITE OPPOSITION.

"Administration is a demonstration; I have made mine and am happy," was Mrs. Jenny H. S. Roe Tufts's reply to a telegram from her daughters asking her to consider before marrying Gorham Tufts, Jr. This and many other telegrams were read by Attorney Lightfoot in the trial in Judge McCormick's court of Francis H. Boland against Mrs. Tufts for attorney's fees growing out of the prosecution of her husband.

Mrs. Tufts' son-in-law wired her from Chicago under date of April 24, 1911:

"Upon returning found girls miserable and extremely bitter beyond conception. Jeanne is worrying about our secret. It has crushed them. Can you come to Chicago? Please don't try to force him (Tufts) into our good will. It will be the final blow. I want to see you all happy again."

The daughters signed their telegrams with their joint initials, "J. A. M. Roe," standing for Jeanne, Adelaide and Marie.

"Pity us and hear our plea," they wired. "Will you wait for one of us to come to California?"

Mrs. Tufts did not heed the cry but married Mr. Tufts. She says that with the advent of Mr. Boland on the scene, trouble fairly overwhelmed her. Mr. Boland testified that she told him providence had sent him to her. Now after many trials and tribulations Mr. and Mrs. Tufts are united against Mr. Boland. Mrs. Tufts' daughters are not at her side.

Charles T. Parnell, the so-called "love slave," was brought into court on a subpoena. He was served at the Jonathan apartments and will be called by Mr. Boland.

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—Put one on ... Christmas pa... ty decoration, and ... you buy hol... against tuber... each.

(Booth—...

It's Enough to Make You Wonder—the Great White Store's Display of—

Children's Handkerchiefs

—There are scores and scores of styles that will please the kiddies. In boxes or sold singly—handkerchiefs with nursery rhymes in oil colors; others of finest linen with hand-embroidered initials.

Three in a Box for 45c

—Plain or initialed; these put up in book form with colored photographs of little English children.

Box of Kewpie Handkerchiefs at 25c

—These to please the little ones. Of fine cambric with fancy color kewpie in the corner—3 in a box, 25c.

Women's Initial 'Kerchiefs, 35c

—Of real Irish linen with hand-embroidered initial topped by a dainty butterfly. Especially pretty for Christmas giving.

(Hamburger's—Main Floor)

—A delicious treat from Sunny California's luscious groves and vineyards, in these—

Xmas Delicatessen Hints

—Remember your friends in the Eastland with a dainty Christmas box of tasty California products. At these prices, express charges prepaid to any point in the United States. Suggestions—

Fancy Navel Oranges, $5.85 box
—Fancy stock, ripened on the tree and carefully packed for eastern shipment.

Fancy Navel Oranges, box 85c
—Delicious ripened oranges, pack miniature of large box—85c.

—Fancy Walnuts, Rivera brand, 10-lb. sack, $3.00
—Fancy Walnuts, Rivera brand, 5 lb. sack, $1.75
Fancy Cluster Raisins and Figs.
Packed in a neat wood box at..... $1.85

—Other fruits, neatly packed for shipping, range in price from 30c to $2.50.

(Hamburger's—Delicatessen—Fourth Floor)

Grocery Department Hints for Today

—Fancy Mixed Nuts, 2 lbs., 35c.
—Fancy Calimyrna Figs, 15c lb.
—Fancy Cluster Raisins, 3 lbs., 25c.
—Fancy Orange and Lemon Peel, 20c lb.
—Oregon Spitzenberg Apples, about 40 pounds net, $1.79 box.
—Oregon Cream Brick Cheese, 25c lb.
—Imported Bar le Duc, 20c; 2 cans, 35c.
—Del Monte Tomato Sauce, 6 cans 25c.
—Del Monte Pineapple, 2 cans 25c.
—Large White Asparagus, 25c can.
—Fancy Oranges, 30c a doz.
—Fancy Lemons, 5c a doz.
—Imported Citron, 30c lb.
—Smoked Albicore, 20c lb.

No Phone Orders; None C. O. D.

(Grocery Dept.—Fourth Floor—Today)

Basement Store

The Gift Booths

—To make your Xmas shopping as easy and time-saving as possible, Hamburger's Basement Store has constructed a number of pretty little Gift Booths.

—Here you will find displayed in full sight hundreds of ideal gift suggestions and all at low prices made possible by our quantity purchasing power. For instance—

Jewelry Novelties } 25c

—Candle Sticks
—Photo Frames
—Match Holders
—Two-bottle Castors
—Nut Sets
—Sugar Trays
—Silver Plated Match Safe
—Pearl Beads
—Hat Pin Boxes, Etc.
—Glass Puff Jars with silver tops
—Gold and Silver Jewel Cases
—Gold and Silver Pin Cushions

(Hamburger's—Basement Store—Today)

Oh! the fun—and the Christmas things! All the kiddies—boys and girls—must come today to—

Toyland and Dolldom

—There were never so many TOYS and DOLLS in one place before.

—All kinds of buildin... electric toys, and funny... things to make you laugh... there's an "Automobile Bar"... real automobiles with ... horns.

—And DOLLS! Seems like ... dolls just came from ... where! There are so many ... them! Great, big, ... dolls with long curls and ... eyes and brown eyes—dolls with ... sleepy eyes and funny ... all kinds! And tiny little ... dolls—my! How you'll ... them.

Have You Seen Santa's Aeroplane?

—Showing Santa flying along in his aeroplane on ... his pack of toys—alighting on the chimney top—getting ... his aeroplane—coming down the chimney—leaving a ... stockings on either side of the fireplace—going back up ... ing away. It's as real as though Santa himself were ... —and it is all operated by machinery.

—You can see it today at 10:30 and 3:30 and the Punch and ... the Magic and the Shadowgraph. Candy for all ... after each entertainment.

(Hamburger's—Toyland and Dolldom—4th Floor ...

—It would be hard to find a more pleasing ... than one of these—

Hand Bags at $1.29

—They're of real leather—... styles with frames of gilt or ... black with colored linings ... fittings; mirror, powder box, ... purse, perfume and ... bottles.

Other Hand Bags, $1.00 ...
Party Cases, $1.95 to ...
Children's Leather Purses ... $1.50.

Stlg. Silver Pencils ...
—And it's a useful Xmas ... expensive, too—in pretty ...
—Other Sterling Silver ...

Beads, Vanity Cases, Etc.

—This department is a veritable treasure ... things for Christmas. The metal workers, ... bead makers of the world have contributed ... surely they've never before made them quite so ... nor in so many styles. Prices in every instance ... surprising what 50c, $1.00 or other amounts ... $5.00 will buy.

(Hamburger's—Main Floor—Today)

Smoker's Stand at $5

—A very acceptable gift this attractive smoker's stand. It has portable tray, smoker's receptacles of dull finished brass and spacious, deep drawer.

Leather Rockers, $22.50

—Upholstered in genuine Spanish leather, the shapely curved arms make it particularly restful. The elastic spring seat is broad, spacious and comfortable.

Buy Furniture Easy Paym't

A small cash payment—balance after Xmas in ... conveniently. It's the Hamburger way of ... shopping easier.

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WHO'S JUDGE? CONTEST SUBMITTED.

The question whether or not the term of Thomas P. White as justice of the peace expired at the general election, or expires the first Monday in January, came before Judge Shenk yesterday for solution. After argument it was submitted.

R. P. Rivera, whose seat as justice of the peace is contested by Judge White, set up that his name appeared on the ballot, that he was elected and the result declared, and that he was given a certificate of election by the County Clerk. He took the oath of office and filed his bond. All of these, he contends, give him title to the office.

Judge White, who was appointed and took the bench of Judge Rose, cited section 111 of the Code of Civil Procedure, which states that when a vacancy occurs in the office of justice of the peace the Board of Supervisors shall appoint a reputable person to hold the office for the remainder of the unexpired term. The construction of this section is questioned by Mr. Rivera.

COMPLAINANT LEAVES AFTER TRIAL IS BEGUN.

What motive induced Odilon Luna to walk out of Judge Wilbur's court yesterday as soon as a jury had been selected to try Mariano Castellano for cutting him with a knife? Being the complaining witness the trial could not proceed without him, and the court issued a bench warrant. The trial was continued until this morning.

The fight is said to have grown out of the fact that the gasoline stove of Castellano made too much noise. The men lived in adjoining houses. Luna was severely cut in the back and was sent to a hospital. Castellano says he acted in self-defense.

One day a year after the affray Luna saw Castellano on the street and arrested him. Then he swore out a complaint. Why he had not done so sooner, and why he did not stay in court and give his testimony yesterday, may be explained today.

COURT PARAGRAPHS. PROCEEDINGS IN BRIEF.

HAYWARD SUIT. The retrial of the $100,000 damage suit of Mrs. Louise R. Hayward against her father-in-law, Dr. Henderson Hayward, and the latter's son, and daughter, Thomas Hayward and Mrs. Laura Ayres, was set for January 27 next by Judge Houser yesterday. In the former trial Mrs. Hayward was awarded $25,000 damages. She testified that Dr. Hayward and the other defendants had conspired to get her husband, Lester Hayward, out of the city, leaving her practically stranded a stranger in this city. The new trial was granted on the ground of newly-discovered evidence.

DAMAGE SUIT. Robert Watchorn and his driver, John S. Hurlburt, were made defendants in a $3000 damage suit filed by Charles M. Davis yesterday. The latter alleges that Mr. Watchorn's auto, with Mr. Hurlburt in charge, struck the motorcycle he was riding on South Main street and the result was the loss of four teeth, among other injuries.

MOTION DENIED. Because he testified he was earning $1100 a month at his dancing academy, Judge Monroe yesterday refused to reduce the order to Carl F. Horn of $15 a week alimony for the support of his wife and son. Mrs. Horn sued in 1912 for divorce and was denied. They were married at St. Louis in June, 1904. She alleged that he forced her to live with his mother and that the latter called her a lazy wretch. She asserted that Mr. ... nagged her, ... He contested the ... ing the allegations ... while he made ... paid out a large ... penses.

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